

MANY THINGS PLANNED TO MAKE KORN KARNIVAL THIS YEAR A "HUMMER"

For the purpose of giving the Korn Karnival another vigorous whirl, members of the various committees will get together shortly and compare progress. It was stated Tuesday that the finance committee, who hope to raise enough money to defray the expenses of the big show will start out in a few days. It is possible that this committee will begin its work Thursday or Friday.

From now on we are going to boost the Karnival for all we are worth," said one of the directors of the Retail Merchants' Association, Tuesday. "Our meetings will be more frequent and we are going to keep the public posted on just what we are going to do, as we will want their heartiest co-operation."

The question of securing a circus to hold forth during Korn Karnival week here has been taken up by St. Straus, chairman of the committee on amusements. He said Tuesday: "There is a possibility of securing a big circus for the Korn Karnival. An effort will be made to land this attraction, and if the trick is turned it will give the Karnival a big boost, as the circus is one of the best shows of the kind on the road," Mr. Straus said Tuesday.

Karnival directors are going to pay special attention to the Children's Parade, which they hope to make one of the crowning features of the big show. A living flag, in which 400 children will take part, is to be one of the features of the parade. They will wear red, white and blue uniforms and will be followed by children dressed in all kinds of uniforms. An effort will be made to have 5,000 children take part.

The Bill Parade is another feature that bids fair to be worked up in great shape. Cash prizes will be given to the best Bill who is portrayed, and no doubt there will be a lot of Bill Bryans, Bill Sundays and Bill Tatts in the parade.

The directors plan to make each day take care of itself, and the different parades are to be worked up from all angles.

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Complaints against any valuation or assessment, except valuations fixed and assessments made by the Tax Commission of Ohio will be heard by the District Board of Complaints at its office at Rooms 15 and 16, Krieger building, in the city of Portsmouth, Ohio, on and after the first Monday of August, 1915. Complaints should be made in writing on blanks which will be furnished by the District Assessor and filed with the County Auditor. Complaints may be made on and after this date and during the time said District Board of Complaints is in session.

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NERVY THIEF GRABS PURSE

One of the boldest thefts that has been committed in the city in a long time took place Sunday evening when an unknown man grabbed Mrs. C. F. Turner's purse just as she was leaving her home at 913 Ninth street to make a trip down town.

The purse contained \$8 in a small purse and \$1.26 in the purse proper and a door key. Mrs. Turner says it was so dark

that she could not tell whether it was a man or a boy, but she is almost certain that it was a heavy set man of medium height, who wore a dark suit of clothes and a dark hat. The thief also wore a black slouch hat turned down all around. Mrs. Turner says.

The pocketbook was found Monday in a yard between Eighth and Ninth on Chillicothe streets, but nothing was found in it.

ANOTHER DAYLIGHT JEWELRY ROBBERY

The home of Harry E. Royce, paperhanger and decorator, 1412 Fourth street, was among the latest visited by the jewelry thieves operating in broad daylight.

Two gold watches, one of them the property of Mr. Royce, the other belonging to his wife's sister, Miss Elizabeth Tipton, an employee of the Selby shoe factory, who makes her home there, were taken besides several rings, watch pin and chain, two bar pins, set of beauty pins, locket and chain and other trinkets belonging to Miss Tipton.

Most of the articles were taken

from a dresser in Miss Tipton's room while Mr. Royce's watch was removed from the library table of the living room. It was through the "L" door of this room that the thieves entered the house. A purse of about \$7 that lay within two feet of Mr. Royce's watch was overlooked by the thieves, who are thought to have stolen into the home while Mrs. Royce was washing dishes in the pantry. She remembers looking at her husband's watch at a few minutes before eleven o'clock, so that the robbery must have occurred later. The police were notified.

LAVALLIERE STOLEN

A sneak thief stole a diamond lavalliere off a work bench at William Yankey's jewelry repair shop, No. 505 Gay street, Tuesday morning. Some boys who had been seen loitering about the place are thought to have knowledge of the theft. The lavalliere belongs to Mrs. Chester Wallace and had been left there for repairs.

Plan How To Meet 'Demmy Hard Times,' Land In Police Court

How her husband, Henry Clark, and George Farby, between drinks planned to "fix" for Democratic hard times should they come again next winter was related by Mrs. Julia Ware-Clark, of Mill street, to the edification of a large crowd in police court Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ware in her methodical way described in detail how Henry and George camped out on her rear door step until midnight Saturday "nipping" from a bottle, how George proposed a huckle-

berry trip to Kentucky next day, offered to place at Henry's disposal one of his houseboats that he owned and to fill these with the "fat of the land" and be prepared for Democratic hard times if only "Clarky old boy" would stick to him and then told how he started a conspiracy to have Clark get rid of her and her son Ralph, he telling him "your sons nowadays don't work and ought to be cast into the river and be drowned after they're born," and convulsed her bearers in reciting how she wielded a broom handle on Henry for keeping such company.

She said she herself was satisfied with Democratic times and felt Farby ought also for his rooster weighed eight pounds and his tomatoes were the finest in Shaktown.

Mrs. Clark also told of the events leading up to the row of Monday night that led into the court. Henry Cooper was the star witness and upon his unbiased report of the row the court held all parties to the trouble equally guilty, giving Carl Farby, Ben Hughes and Lynn Jones suspended fines of \$5 each. They were charged with trying to provoke Ralph Ware into fighting. Mrs. Clark who was charged by Hughes of disorderly conduct in calling his mother vile names was also given a \$5 suspended fine. The older Farby did not appear, while his wife added to the excitement by developing hysteria after the court took her to task for talking too much and had to be removed to the ante-room.

Moral—Vote Ohio dry Nov. 2. (Advice)

Weekly Dance

The Portsmouth Athletic Club will give its weekly dance in the old Bohemian hall in the East End tonight.

Forget These Hot Days In Recollecting "Good Old Winter Time" COLD WEATHER MEMORIES

Send in Your "Cold Day" Experience To The Times

"The coldest day that I ever remember was on New Years Day 1904," said Ben Bratt while in a reminiscent mood at the Hammer Club, Tuesday.

"On the last day of the year it was so warm that people went around in shirt sleeves. That night it began raining, the rain soon turned to snow and when Portsmouth awoke the next morning the Ohio river was actually frozen over," said Mr. Bratt this morning. "The day went down

in history as being one of the coldest Portsmouth has ever experienced and those who passed through it will verify my statements."

"It was about fourteen years ago that I recall the coldest day of my life," said Si Straus this morning. "Mrs. Straus and myself reached a small town in Illinois. We were told that we were two miles from a hotel and I thought we would freeze to death before we reached it. We had to

bike down through a railroad yard in a blinding snowstorm and I have always said that this was the coldest day of my life."

"The coldest day I ever passed through was back in 1888," said Henry Faivre, president of the Hammer Club, this morning. "Snow drifted on this day and in many sections of the city was five and six feet deep. At one place in the county the mercury touched 28 degrees below zero."

Man Said To Be From This City Makes Daring Robbery

The following is from the Philadelphia Inquirer but the man mentioned in the dispatch is not known here:

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., July 18.—Holding up Max Bartikowski, a jeweler of Edwardsville, at the point of a revolver which he told Bartikowski he intended to purchase, a man alleged to be Arthur Williams, 40, formerly a resident of Plymouth, who has recently been living at Portsmouth, Ohio, created excitement today as he backed out of the Bartikowski store with the revolver leveled at the proprietor's head. Williams was captured at West Moor while making his way to this city.

The man picked up the first revolver shown to him in the store and then asked for cartridges. He began loading the chambers and when Bartikowski demanded payment the supposed customer pointed the gun at him and backed slowly out of the store. The police declare that Williams, having dissipated his fortune, intended to suicide and held up Bartikowski as his only means of securing a revolver.

Good For Iron-ton

The Iron-ton Iron-tonian of Tuesday morning said:

"The officers of both Sarah and Iron-ton iron furnaces have announced that they will begin operations at once. The iron market is steadily improving and no doubt the furnaces will have the most successful runs in their history."

Vitalite used on an Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 11f

Chicken Supper

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Wheelersburg Baptist church are making preparations for a big chicken supper Friday evening. Haquaard's hall has been engaged for the occasion and a large attendance is expected. Several automobile parties from Portsmouth are coming on motoring to Wheelersburg to enjoy the feast.

PLAN SEWAGE SYSTEM

The Board of Control, Monday, passed resolutions declaring in favor of employing an expert sanitary engineer to prepare tentative plans for a Hill Top sewage system and submit the same to city council.

RUN OF ILL LUCK

City Solicitor Stanley McCall was able to be out Tuesday for the first time in a week, having been laid up with a complication of troubles. First Mr. McCall while taking a trip through the rural districts came in contact with ivy and his face was badly poisoned. Next he was overcome by heat and to top it off contracted a bad cold.

Counter Charges Made By Campbell In A Divorce Suit

With the petition for divorce filed in common pleas court Tuesday morning by Robert L. Campbell, a local contracting carpenter, against Emma Campbell, both the husband and wife are asking for decrees in divorce.

The wife filed her petition June 24th, through Attorney Blair & Kinde. The husband's attorney is George W. Sheppard.

The husband alleges extreme cruelty in that his wife abused him by her accusations of infidelity. Her suspicion of him, he claims, led her to interfere with his business associations. He further charges that she refused to care for his children and uses vile language toward him and children. It is alleged further that she abused his children by a former marriage. Mr. Campbell claims that she frequently left him, but he always allowed her to return when she came to him and begged that he do so, on her promise to do better.

In his charges of gross neglect the husband claims that his wife failed to prepare meals for him. He is asking divorce and custody of the children.

Mrs. Campbell, in her petition filed in June, alleged that her husband squandered his property, remained in a drunken condition, and that he frequently threatened her, abused her and drove her and her

child from home. She asks for alimony and divorce and secured a temporary restraining order from Judge W. P. Stephenson, of Adams county, enjoining her husband from encumbering or disposing of his property.

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STAKER ESTATE

Emily Staker, as guardian of her three children, Georgianna, Elenora and Henrietta, in her first account filed in probate court Tuesday, showed receipts amounting to \$2467.85 and expenditures of \$198.15 a balance of \$2,269.70.

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Taken To Workhouse

Frank Holt, who was convicted of visiting a disorderly house, Percy Wilson, a gun-toter, were taken to the Cincinnati workhouse by Chief McCarty Tuesday morning. With the big chief out of town the jewelry thieves are breathing rather easier.

Complain About Vanits

Complaints about vanits in the vicinity of Fifteenth and Union streets have been referred to Dr. W. W. Smith, city health officer.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

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Pennant Day Saturday

The coming Saturday will be Pennant Day in the Boy Scout League. The Tiger champions of last season will be presented with their pennant. The presentation speech will be made by Mr. George D. Scudder, president of the Local Council of Boy Scouts. The Tigers and Athletics will play a double-header on this occasion.

On Vacation

Alvin McGinnis, express messenger on the R. & O. S. W. accommodation train, is off duty for a three weeks' vacation. R. P. Hyson, of Chillicothe, is temporarily filling his place.

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TAKING THE FIRST STEP.

The new mayor of Huntington, who by the way is a Democrat, announces that the first step of his administration will be to make the coming metropolis of West Virginia the city beautiful. To this end the first step will be the planting of shade trees along the residential thoroughfares. This will be done in two ways: First by making the planting a popular movement and when that is well spent, if the work be not completely done legal methods of coercing the setting out of trees will be resorted to.

The beginning is entirely approvable. After all is said and done there is nothing that adds so much to the attractiveness of a city as heavily shaded streets and Huntington, with her broad, well paved thoroughfares and her generally spacious lawns would lend herself most effectively to such enhancement. Many of her citizens will realize this with the mere suggestion of the idea of beautifying and will lend themselves cheerfully to it, but, on the other hand, there will be others who will not, or if realizing will utterly fail to do their part. Just what legal means the mayor, as he hints, is going to take to compel them so to do, is beyond the ken and experience of the average municipality, which finds difficulty enough in compelling a part of its citizenry to observe regulations that are common place and established. There will await with keen interest the development of his novel processes and their results.

JUST A THOUGHT.

There was laid away in Greenlawn, Monday morning, a woman, whose long life, quiet and unpretentious as it was, wrote large the story of sweetness and helpfulness.

To Clay B. Newman there never came of what the world calls wealth, but she possessed in fullness riches that were beyond compare. Clouds passed over her days, as they do those of all mortals, but through and over them glowed brightly the buoyancy of her temperament. There was an abounding graciousness in her, not alone of word and manner, but of action. Somehow where others were concerned she could do the brighter and the more needful thing better than any one else. She was the embodiment of helpfulness. Sympathy she had unstinted, but it was not the sympathy that mingled its tears with yours; it was quicker and more intelligent, a fire that glowed and warmed with cheer. Years beyond the average mortal span she went and loved among us, for with her task and toil was not work, but love manifesting itself outwardly, scattering the seed of comfort and bringing forth the fruitage of gladness. It is exalting to dwell on the eternal gladness in which she is enjoying her reward.

ANOTHER COME TO NAUGHT.

Precedent to becoming our good young governor, one Frank B. Willis roared and paved up the earth of this great state of Ohio, protesting against the extravagance and profligacy of the odious Cox administration, and for good measure threw in a few hundred vows of retrenchment and reform.

Last week State Auditor Donahy furnished the public figures on what the expenditures were under the Cox administration and what they are going to be under that of our good young Governor. Now our aforesaid good young governor, like many an over zealous seeker after office, proves long on promise and short on performance.

The expenditures of the Cox administration, were, in round numbers, eighteen million dollars for each of its two years; those of the Willis administration are twenty-two millions for the first year and will be near unto nineteen million for the second, with the possibility of an extra session of the assembly adding a few more.

Of course, the boiler plate editorial columns of the G. O. P. press will begin soon to rattle with the claim that the extra four millions for the first year represents a payment of the deficit left by the odious and deceiving Cox regime, but you don't have to believe them, because it isn't so. The sad experience is just another case of a broken pledge, a candidate promising something of which he neither has knowledge in fact, nor power of accomplishment in performance.

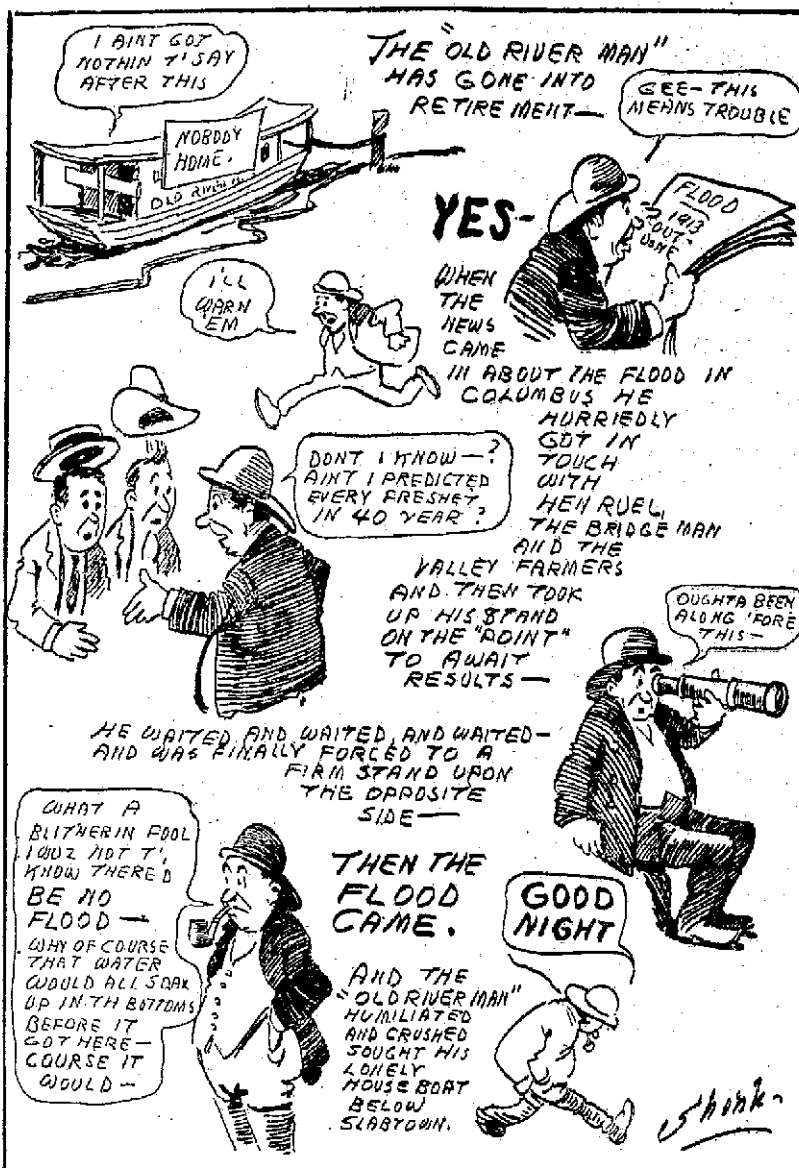
The bitter is bitten. Hon. Al Jennings was held up and robbed by a highwayman the other day, and, worst of all, the Hon. Al was unprofessional enough to hold out \$5 in the looting.

Are the fellows, so ready to lay to the German government responsibility for each and every brawl and trouble in this country aware of the compliment they pay to its potentiality?

The Lexington Herald is so exultant over the swinging open of the driveways of its local cemetery and the Yellowstone Park to the all conquering automobile, that it holds the one no less an event than the other.

Of course, the inhabitants of all the belligerent European nations are fairly seething with patriotism, but the huge labor troubles in both England and Germany indicate that here and there thought is held of "number one."

THE CASE OF THE "OLD RIVER MAN."



BULLY FOR MAYSVILLE.

Maysville, Kentucky, is not so much when it comes to size, but she is all there when it comes to the sporting instinct. Her people like good, clean sport and they are willing to give the necessary financial support to secure such sport. That is why Maysville now has a team in the Ohio State League while Chillicothe and Huntington both failed to maintain a franchise. We are surprised that Chillicothe fell down, but we are not surprised at Huntington for that town was built on bluff, has been run on bluff, has been so successful at the game that she has grown to the proportions of a small city, and is now viewing the future on the same old bluff. She tried to bluff her way into the League on bluff but for once she was called and on the show down she did not have a shirt to her back.

We welcome Maysville into our midst and we wish the plucky little town all kinds of success; we extend our sympathy to Chillicothe because she grew faint-hearted, but for Huntington we haven't much aside from a ribald jeer or two over her making such mighty pretense and then being caught out in the rain.

CAN EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS.

Elsewhere is printed a communication from Col. W. H. McCall bearing upon the Republican mayoralty situation and in this connection we wish to say that this is done, not with the idea of advancing or adversely affecting the chances of any Republican candidate, nor as an expression of any opinion on the part of this paper. The card is printed simply to permit a Republican voter to express his opinion.

We may say further that the same liberty is given or will be given to any voter in the city who may wish to express his opinions on the various candidates at the coming primary, the only reservation being that the cards must not be too long, must be the production of the individual himself, and they must be signed by the real name of the author, such name to be printed at the bottom of the article. The writers must bring them to the office and submit them to the editor. Nothing of an abusive character will be printed. No anonymous articles will be printed.

The circulation of the Noon Extra edition of The Times is growing steadily. A little while ago it reached an average of 2,000 copies daily and now for more than three weeks it has been hanging around the 2,300 average. And this edition is only sold on the streets.

The castle Atchison Globe observes that where one man is willing to work himself to the top there are a dozen trying to talk themselves there.

EPIDEMIC OF ROBBERIES.

Every once in a while there is an epidemic of small robberies, the thief or thieves operating successfully for several weeks, apparently entering homes at will and getting away with valuables. Sometimes these robberies are the work of home talent and again they are the work of professionals who drop in and out of the city. Catching them is a hard job and as a rule it is only by accident that the guilty ones are caught in the coils of the law as they make it a point to operate when a policeman is not in the neighborhood.

Right now Portsmouth seems to be having one of these periodical visitations. A number of homes have been entered, details of which have appeared in the papers, and, it is learned, a number of other robberies have occurred which have not been reported to the police. We suggest to citizens the advisability of seeing to it that their homes are securely locked when they leave and that they report every suspicious character promptly to police headquarters. In this way they can aid in apprehending the robbers.

They are all alike. We see the Star of Portsmouth, Virginia, is busily boosting to boost its base ball club through the season.

Italy at war is not one quarter so interesting as was Italy on the brink of war. Which only goes to show that there is always more pleasure in anticipation.

Chicago women have begun to wear detachable collars and cuffs, just like men. There was never anything they are more welcome to.

The generals, captains, corporals, sutlers and camp-followers of the militant factions of the G. O. P. are trying hard to make a noise that sounds like activity, but for the life of us we can't see where the rank and file is showing the least interest.

The speed demon must be depressed by the torrid weather. Sunday's telegraph carried news of only one serious automobile accident and in that only one was immediately killed.

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Charles B. Towns is not a doctor but he has proven to the medical world that he knows more about habit forming drugs than any other person. And Charles B. Towns safely and practically will tell you that it will not be long until "dope" is wiped off the map. Big words you say? But just remember they come from the lips of a man who modestly announced fifteen years ago that the drug habit could be cured in a few days and proved it.

Towns is today recognized as the world's greatest authority on the drug habit. He has had thousands of cases of drug addiction cured under his supervision. He does what he sets about to do.

He is a doer—not a talker. The other month Henry Ford summoned him to his big plant in Detroit. He told him sorrowfully that he had found several of his best workmen addicted to drugs. He felt that now was the time to save them and Towns was the man to do it. Towns got the group of employees together—talked to them in his frank, open and sincere way and that night all started for New York. In one week's time those men were restored to a useful place in the world.

They are back at work in the big Ford factory and before Towns is done he intimates that there will be no drug users or booze-fighters in the plant. Henry

Ford believes him and has given him orders to "clean house."

Towns was born in La Grange, Ga., in 1862. He has lived in New York since 1896. He is very wealthy but his sympathies are with the poor. He would rather claim a "down and out" than make a fortune. When he became convinced that he had the right system of treating drug fiends, he did not stop to talk about it. He plunged into the thick of the greatest habit forming drug country in the world—China. He established hospitals in the Far East for opium users and even though his life was in jeopardy constantly he stuck to his task and witnessed the successful treatment of 4000 patients in Peking, Tientsin and Shanghai.

When a man has reclaimed 4,000 men from a living hell he might be pardoned for mentioning the fact, but the news of Towns' success did not reach America



No Lack of Work To Do
If you're looking for something to do,

Don't think your chance is small. Don't wander away and get blue and

For there's labor that suits us all. If you're built for fight, there's a chance in sight

In the lands that are far away. If for peace you yearn, you can take your turn.

In the eloquent display.

You can march to the battle line, son, You can teach if you've learned aright.

You can toll where the grain grows fine, son, And study your books by night.

There are tasks that wait till the hour grows late And never a task that's through.

Don't doubt and sigh as the hours go by. There's plenty for you to do.

—Washington Star.

Is This a Slam at W. J. B.?

A man can get to the top quicker by working than by talking. Some men even put themselves out of business by too much talk. —New Castle (Pa.) News.

Almost as Wise as Dolly

One day two laborers were discussing the wisdom of the present generation. Said one:

"We be wiser than our fathers was, and they was wiser than their fathers was."

The second one, after pondering a while and gazing at his companion, replied:

"Well, Garge, what a fule thy grandfather must 'a' been!"

Bet He Felt Like Thirty Cents

We wonder how John felt the other night after taking Miss Foster to church and then had to go home by himself. —Cadiz Republican.

In yesterday's Extra it was said the arrests for the last year of legalized saloons in West Virginia was sixty-six per cent less than for the first year of prohibition. A sort of double mistake as the number was sixty-six per cent greater, instead of less.

To be sure there are cooler places than the Peerless just at the present writing, but there are a thousand that are hotter.

through him. It came from Chinese government officials. Magazine writers of prominence were immediately dispatched to the Far East and they confirmed the wonderful cures brought about by the trim young fighter.

Just recently Towns with his own funds established the imposing hospital known as The Charles B. Towns Hospital at 293 Central Park West. It is in one of the finest residential sections of New York and overlooks Central Park. It is here that Towns does his work. He has a competent medical staff but does not divorce his patients from their own medical advisors. The treatment is carried out on a high ethical basis and the medicines employed have been given to the world in articles in the most important medical journals.

Recently Towns completed his book "Habit That Handicap," which will expose drugs and their menace. The preface was written by Dr. Richard C. Cabot, of Boston, who has declared publicly with Dr. Alexander Lambert, of New York, that there is no one in the world who knows so much about habit forming drugs and their cure as Towns.

Probably the Big Rains Helped Some

"Bill Carroll's whiskers are coming along fine." —Waverly (O.) Watchman.

That's Nothing, we Do, Too
"No man can do anything against his will," said a metaphysician. "Can't he, though?" exclaimed the practical man. "Don't I get up at 7 o'clock six mornings every week against my will?"

The Dastardly Plank

A dastardly outrage was committed on the High Bend road Saturday when a plank was stuck upward in a hole in the road. Mail Carrier Lehman missed it by a foot. —Mercersville (Pa.) Banner.

His Front Legs are O. K.

An effort made by Andy McDougall to stop the runaway horses came near to resulting in injury to him. A few scratches on the hind legs was the only damage done. —Petoskey (Mich.) News.

How About Lemons?

And now we are told they are going to paint Ford's yellow, so they can sell them in bunches like bananas. Why not paint them green and sell them like olives? —Akron Beacon Journal.

Even That Might Have a Chicken

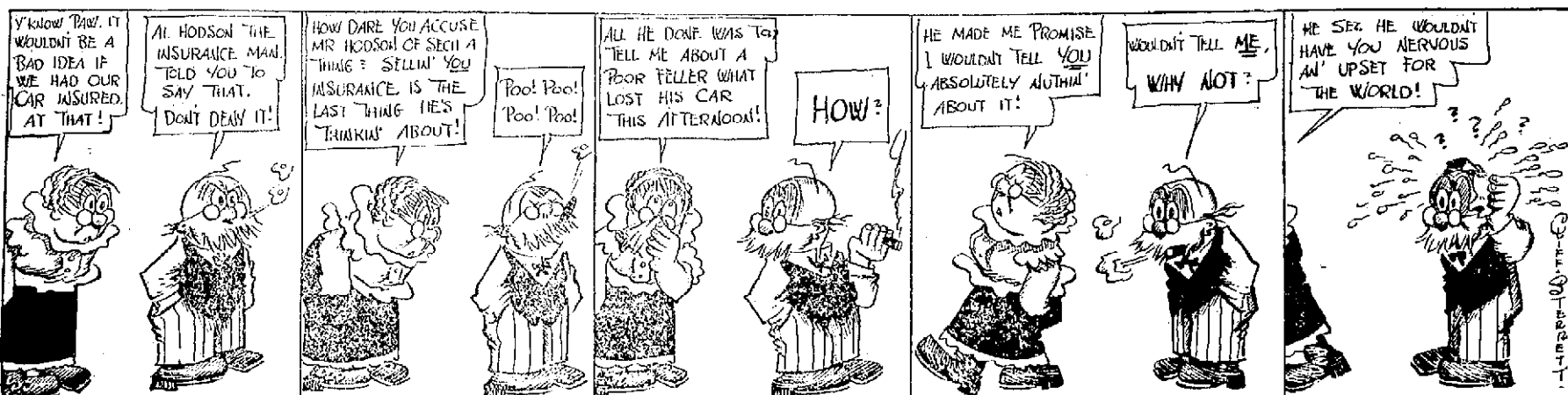
In It
June bride—"I want a piece of meat that isn't any fat, gristle or bone in it."
Butcher—"Better take an egg-madam."

Oh You Chickens!

In one Minnesota town they have clever chickens who ought to be giving exhibitions in vaudeville or a circus, relates the Utica Press. The village marshal has posted a notice reading: "I have been instructed by the village council to enforce the ordinance against chickens running at large and riding bicycles on the sidewalks." Perhaps the chickens referred to are not the feathered variety.

First quality work at reasonable prices, Brehmer, the Painter.

POLLY AND HER PALS



NICE, CONSIDERATE CHAP, MR. HODSON.

Bitten By A Dog

E. M. Johnson, 319 Fourth street, complained to the police Monday evening that he had been bitten by a dog belonging to the Becker family at Twenty-first and Timmons avenue.

Must Cut Weeds

The city sent out appeals Monday with a view to having weeds cut at the John Bauer lot, corner Eighth and Lincoln streets; the H. H. Poetler lot at Hutchins and Highland avenues and the Charles P. Stamm property, corner Eighth and Murray streets.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter.

TODAY! -- TO-NIGHT!

Wm. Fox presents in 5 acts from Victoria Cross' greatest novel

"Life's Shop Window"

With an all star cast including
CLAIRE WHITNEY AND STUART HOLMES
A production that really cost \$200,000 to produce

FRIDAY!

Wm. Fox presents in 6 parts

FRIDAY!

WILLIAM FARNUM in "THE PLUNDERER"

A greater production than "The Spoilers."

Every day a production and
Every production a masterpiece

The New SUN Theatre

When you know it's a Wm. Fox production you know
it is the best produced

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY!

Wm. Fox presents the man with the \$100,000 face

WILLIAM FARNUM

In the "Mystery of Morrow's Rest" or "The New Governor" taken from Edward
Sheldon's master-work

"THE NIGGER"

New York Sun—A miracle of the
movies. New York World—
Most powerful theme.

A drama you owe
it to yourself
to see

It will make you thrill.
It will make you throb.
It will make you think.

FIGHT THRILLING PISTOL DUEL ALONG THE C. & O.

One Negro Desperado Killed At Maysville; Another Is Captured By Vanceburg Posse

Guns barked death. Police officers and enraged citizens fought with negro desperadoes. Box cars were the transient forts of the blood thirsty fugitives. Covington, Ky., opened the fight. Maysville soon joined in the fight with a toll of one death. Vanceburg, Ky., sixty miles away, directed the closing chapters of a gripping tragedy with the Chesapeake and Ohio roadbed as the stage. Monday afternoon.

One negro, Jerry Lewis, 25, is dead at Maysville, Ky., Officer E. P. Bloomhuff, of Maysville, Ky., carries bullet wounds in the left wrist and forearm near the elbow. Grant Howard, 23, negro, is behind the bars at Maysville, Ky., lucky to be alive. Police officers, detectives and citizens from Covington, Ky., to Vanceburg, Ky., retain a vivid memory of a thrilling and desperate pistol duel with two negroes with life and death the stakes.

Beginning of the Battle

That is the brief but graphic synopsis of police officers' and citizens' efforts to capture two suspected negro desperadoes who were first sighted at Covington, Ky., Monday afternoon. Repeated robberies and murders in the Silver Grove yards at Covington, Ky., around Chesapeake and Ohio pay days led officials to order a watch kept for all suspicious characters.

Monday afternoon a C. & O. detective discovered two negroes on a box car on an east bound freight train. He attempted to capture them but his efforts were ridiculed by the vicious bark of two heavy calibered guns in the hands of the desperate negroes. Bullet missed the detective summoned help. Three Covington policemen responded but their volley of lead shot against metal coal cars splintered box cars and fell harmlessly and mockingly to the limestone road bed.

Negroes Make a Temporary Getaway

Dolting death and capture the negroes jumped from car to car as the train sped along the steel rails ten miles an hour. Acceleration of the train prevented the officials from having it stopped.

Word to capture the negroes was flashed ahead to Maysville, Ky. An armed reception committee composed of Police Chief Jas. Mackey and Officers E. P. Bloomhuff and W. H. Tolle met the train at the "infirmary" stop at Maysville. But the negroes got the "drop" on the officers. Noses of the revolvers spit fire. Bullets whistled an hunted past the officials. Two found their way into the flesh of Officer Bloomhuff.

Negro Falls Fatally Hurt
Soon guns of the officers commenced to speak. Lewis, one of the desperadoes, dropped mortally wounded. Three bullets penetrated his body. He died later at a hospital.

Howard, the other negro, dropping off the rapidly moving train, dashed into a corn field. For several hundred yards he sped, outdistanced the bullet of his pursuers, emerged again on the road bed, grabbed the freight train and continued his flight.

Speed of the train and flight of the remaining desperado was only exceeded by the size of the rumor

ville and Vanceburg last night and when Howard was taken back to Maysville this morning many people were at the depot to get a glimpse of the negro. It was stated that there was no demonstration, however.

It was reported that Officer C. S. Stewart of Maysville had been wounded, but this was without foundation. He guarded one end of the train, but did not take part in the shooting.

Concerning the exciting event the Maysville Independent says: "When the train stopped for the Coal Docks, three negro men jumped off the South side of the train and ran into a cornfield nearby, when they saw the officers. Detectives Stewart and Officers Tolle went into the cornfield and ran two of them back out onto the railroad but lost the third man in the field. The men started down the railroad track and Detective Stewart followed them but Officer Bloomhuff crossed over the train, caught a street car which was passing and went to a point several hundred yards below the county infirmary crossing. Here he crossed over the train and came down right in front of the fleeing negroes. He placed them under arrest and marched them in front of him back to the crossing. When he arrived at the crossing, he told the men to wait there until Detective Stewart, who was a short distance up the road got there. They stopped for a minute and stood several feet from him and facing the Mr. Carmel pike. They had stood there but a minute when one of them turned and said: 'We won't wait for anything you'

and drawing a large revolver began firing at the officer as did the other negro.

Tells About The Shooting
"Bloomhuff drew his revolver and returned the fire, the first shot hit one of the men in the leg and he fell to the ground but took his gun in both hands and kept firing at Bloomhuff. The injured man then arose and followed his partner. By this time the Detective was at Mr. Bloomhuff's side but the fleeing men had almost reached the pike when one fell to the ground. The other ran on the pike but ran back to his injured partner and it is supposed took his revolver for it could not be found on him when searched. However a large holster was strapped about his waist and in his pocket was found a handful of bullets of 44 caliber.

The men shot at Bloomhuff about eight or ten times and eight of the bullets were located in the fence and cattle guard smashed again the steel coal car before which the policeman was standing. One of the shots fired at the policeman struck him on the left hand and another passed through his coat.

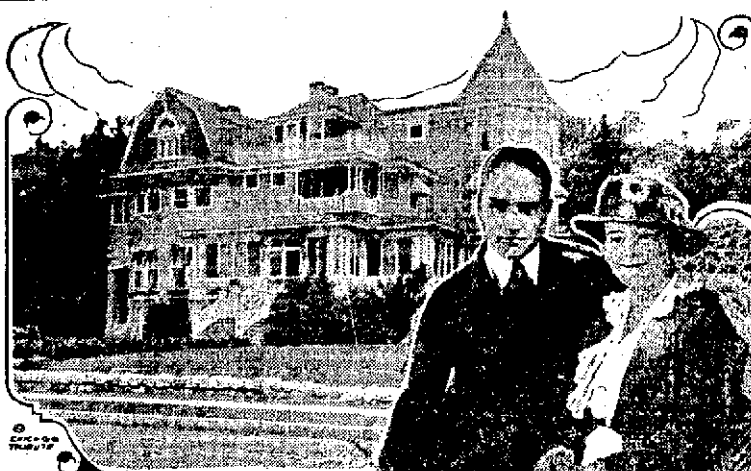
Had Held Up a Man

A negro man by the name of A. N. Jackson, giving his home as Greenup, Ky., and employed on the C. & O. railroad said that he first saw the two negroes who did the shooting when the train upon which they were riding was at Augusta. He said that they both came up to him on the train and asked him if he had any money. He said they both carried large revolvers and were very abusive to him.

The injured negro was taken to Wilson Hospital in Coughlin's automobile. He was shot three times. Once in the hip, in the stomach and in the leg near the ankle. Physicians say that he will not likely recover.

At the hospital the negro gave a statement saying that his partner's name was John Braxton, of Mulberry, Ohio, and that they had been working on turnpike in Clermont county, and were on their way to Vanceburg to work on a pike there.

CHICAGO YOUTH IS TO MARRY GIRL WHO HAS \$30,000,000 COMING



Above, Barker COTTAGE. Below, Howard Spaulding and his fiancée.

Howard Spaulding, a Chicago boy, is going to marry Miss Catherine Barker, the heiress. And she is an heiress worth having, too. For she is the heiress to just \$30,000,000.

The wedding is set for July 31, at a beautiful summer home of young Spaulding's fiancée, "Barker Cottage," near Harbor Point, Mich.

Meanwhile several house parties are being held at the summer "cottage," at which bridesmaids and other intimate friends are the guests.

"Loyalty Day" Is Planned To Boost Local Team's Finances

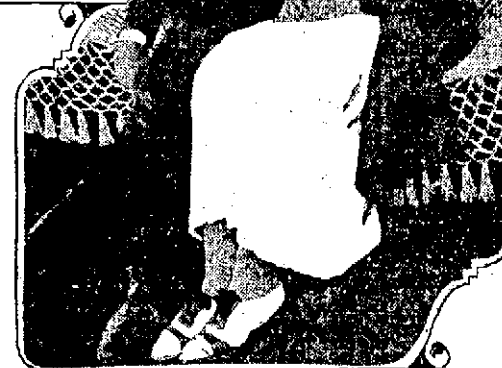
In an effort to give some whole-hearted financial assistance to the Portsmouth team of the Ohio State League, a committee composed of several of the leading fans of the city will meet at the Times office this evening at 7:30 o'clock to make arrangements for the observance of "Loyalty Day" on Thursday afternoon, July 29, when it is hoped to have the Lexington team as opponents for the "Champs" at Millbrook park.

The finances of the local team are in a sort of chaotic condition and the committee of fans hope to stir up sentiment that more than 1000 tickets will be sold. It will be planned at tonight's meeting to tag every person who buys one or more tickets. The band will probably be secured for "Loyalty Day" and a parade will precede the game. Full details will be mapped out at tonight's meeting.

Fired Into The Bush

The officers telegraphed to Vanceburg to arrest Braxton giving a full description of the man. The officers there raised a posse of men with revolvers and shotguns and met the train at the depot. The negro jumped from the train and ran down under the river bank and into a pile of brush. They surrounded the brush and fired into it some fifteen or twenty times but the negro would not be forced out and when dark came on he made good his escape, but later he was again surrounded by the Lewis county men along a creek near Vanceburg and arrested. A large 44 caliber revolver was found on his person. He was placed in jail there and Chief Mackey and Detective Stewart left last night on C. & O. No. 4 for Vanceburg to return to Maysville.

Officer Bloomhuff has been temporarily suspended by Chief of Police Mackey pending developments of the case.



Badly Burned

Mrs. Morris Abrams, wife of the St. Clair hotel proprietor, had her feet badly burned Monday when the screw of a stove oven door gave way, causing the door to go just as she was removing a roast. The hot gravy spilled over her.

Clothes On Fire

Burning paper in an open grate at the Barney Compliment home, 2011 Eleventh street, set fire to some bed clothes, Tuesday afternoon. Neighbors rushed in and extinguished the blaze. Slight damage.

Hazlebeck will insure you. 819 Gallia St. adv

It Will Pay You to Wait For Your Peaches

Northern Ohio Island Peaches will be on the market from September first to October tenth. See that your grocer has them for you.

The crop this year will be unusually large and the price low.

This fruit is fully matured before being picked and contains a larger percentage of sugar than any other grown.

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PORT CLINTON, OHIO.



TOILET ARTICLES DE LUXE
In addition to supplying our patrons with expert prescription work we are quite proud of the A No. 1 toilet articles we sell. Facial massage creams, all kinds of brushes, soaps, perfumes, etc., in large selection. Let us satisfy your particular taste.

PURE DRUG CO.
212 Chillicothe Street

Waverly Suit To Be Heard Wednesday

Damages for \$5,000 for alleged slander is asked in a suit by Dr. William Seitz from Dr. Thos. H. McCann, of Waverly in a suit which will be heard in common pleas court Wednesday. Attorney Theo. K. Funk for Dr. Seitz and Attorneys Mark A. Crawford, city and Levei Moore, Waverly, for Dr. McCann.

HE'S HEAD OF OUR AERONAUTIC FLEET



Capt. Mark L. Bristol.

Capt. Mark L. Bristol, chief of the U. S. navy's aeronautical bureau, first presented to the house committee the need of increasing the aerial fleet to 200. An appropriation of \$2,200,000 is needed.

Ten Day Limit

Ten days after the transcript of the proceedings is filed by the auditor with the county recorder, are given property owners which to enjoin the incorporation of Sciotoville unanimously approved by the county commissioners. The county auditor is ordered to file the proceedings with the recorder as soon as possible.

INSPECTOR IS HERE

G. R. Bell, of the state fire marshal's office, arrived here from Columbus Tuesday to re-inspect the several hundred bad order structures listed some weeks ago. He found that quite a number of property owners complied with the orders. Mr. Bell expects to remain here for several weeks.

Contractor In The City

Contractor L. E. Sturm, who will build the Lawson Run viaduct in the East End, came down from Columbus Monday to look over the site of the improvement. As soon as the firm gets squared away work on the viaduct will begin in earnest.

Queen or Dairy Maid Ambition the Same

In the expectant mother's mind there is no limit to what the future has in store, and yet during the period of expectancy, much depends upon the physical comfort of the mother. One of the best aids to a remedy known as "Mother's Friend." Applied over the stomach, it penetrates to the seat of nervous tension, relieves the pains incident to stretching of cords and ligaments, makes the plant, induces daily comfort, restful nights, a calm mind and pleasant anticipation. You use it with your own hand, apply it as needed, and at once feel a sense of relief.

Mothers who have learned all this from experience, tell of the blessed relief from morning sickness, the absence of strain and the undoubted healthful influence imparted to the coming baby.

Get a bottle of this splendid help today. Phone your nearest druggist or send for it. Then write Bristol Regulator Co., 404 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga., for a valuable book of instruction for expectant mothers. "Mother's Friend" is recommended everywhere by women who have used it. And you can read some very interesting letters if you write for this book.

BRYAN'S HAVING A GOOD TIME OUT WEST




W. J. Bryan seated with President C. C. Moore of the association.

36TH YEAR
G. A. R. PICNIC and HOME COMING
Under Auspices of Scioto Post G. A. R. No. 257
Harrisonville, TUESDAY, August 17
Everybody invited.

Exhibit-5c | Tonight—"The Woman From Warren's" | "Where Breezes Blow" Comedy | Tomorrow—Big Keystone Comedy Feature

Miss Dolly Wise



She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60.

Dear Dolly.—Would you please let me know in your next edition the names and addresses of a few art schools which you know of.

A READER.

The Columbus Art School, Columbus, Ohio; The Cleveland School of Art, and the Landon School of Art, Cleveland, Ohio; the Dayton Art School, Dayton, Ohio, and The Cincinnati Art School.

Dear Dolly.—How can I make myself more popular among my boy friends? They always speak to me and seem friendly, but when it comes to ask a partner to play a game at a party they always hesitate before asking me. I am well spoken of and a favorite among the older people. I am not pretty and neither am I bad-looking. I always try to treat every one kindly. I'm only a village maiden of sixteen, but am much older in my ways and have never gone with boys. What is your opinion of girls who go with boys at an early age?

McDERMOTT BELLE.

Be careful and take great interest in everything you do. If you get pleasure and give pleasure while playing a game, the boys will seek you for a partner. Never be listless or disinterested if you expect to be attractive. Young girls who go with boys are just as good as the girls who do not. But often from a lack of wisdom and discretion they cheapen themselves in such a way that when they are old enough to possess common sense they are no longer wanted. Girls who go with boys when they are too young grow old and experienced before they ought to, and the boys seek new girl friends.

Dear Miss Wise.—Will you please tell me if there is anything I can do with some cherry juice I had left over after canning cherries for pies? Can I make wine with it, and if so, please tell me how.

T. B.

Simply heat the juice and can it. If you did not can your cherries with sugar, add sufficient sugar to make it palatable. Nothing is more delicious in punches, or served plain. It is always convenient to have when unexpected company arrives. If you want to make wine sugar to taste and strain. Allow juice to ferment before sealing.

TIMES SERVICE PATTERN 1363



Orders for patterns are forwarded to New York to be filled, hence it requires several days for the pattern to reach the purchaser. Patterns can not be ordered by telephone. Do not use postage stamps for larger denomination than two cents.

CAUTION—Order adult patterns by number of pattern, giving bust measure for waist patterns, and waist measure for skirt patterns. For Misses and Children give number of pattern and age only.

COUPON

This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc., plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1363. Size..... Age (for child).....
 Name.....
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 City..... State.....

Tonight—"The Woman From Warren's"
 TWO REEL DRAMATIC FEATURE

"Where Breezes Blow" Comedy

Tomorrow—Big Keystone Comedy Feature

Dear Miss Wise.—Will you please tell me something that will remove blackheads and something that will make my eyebrows grow heavier and my eyelashes longer?

ROSEBUD.

To cure blackheads make an ointment of one ounce of soap liniment and one ounce of ether; mix. At night scrub the face thoroughly with hot water, using a complexion brush or other soft brush. After wiping, apply the mixture to each of the spots and let it remain on over night. Wash off in the morning with hot water. Continue until the spots have disappeared. Then twice a week wash the face with this mixture, removing the liquid at once by rinsing with clear water. If there are large pores, wipe over each with a little alcohol. Eyebrow and lash tonic: Red vaseline, five grains; boracic acid, ten centigrams. Make into a smooth paste, and massage into the brows at night, also rubbing lightly over the lashes at the roots.

Dear Dolly.—Will you please tell me through your department whether it is possible not to have one's marriage license published in the newspapers?

PEGGY.

In some instances the probate judge withholds names from publication when requested, if he thinks the reasons given are sufficient. Official records are public property as a rule. But why keep it a secret Peggy? Are you ashamed of your husband-to-be?

Dear Miss Wise.—Which do you believe is the better method of studying piano when a woman

is grown up—the old fashioned way, where much time is required or by the new method which is advertised to teach one in 20 lessons?

MUSICAL MAID.

Does it look reasonable to you that any one can learn in 20 lessons what it takes others years and years to learn? I do not know what process is followed in the 20 lesson course, but I do know that it cannot possibly do what the advertisements claim for it. You might learn to play a few pieces in 20 lessons, but you certainly wouldn't set the world afire by your playing.

Dear Dolly.—Please explain how to dry clean garments with starch.

A READER.

Garments that are to be washed in starch are handled exactly as if they were in a wash tub; but instead of rinsing and wringing they are lifted out of the flour so that they will hold as much as possible. Then they are rolled up in a towel and left for a day. Borax added to flour helps greatly when the garments are badly soiled. Salt and flour makes an inexpensive mixture for cleaning heavy articles like sweaters.

Dear Miss Wise.—Will you kindly tell me what will take lemon juice spots out of light blue dress? MRS. H. R.

If the lemon juice has faded the goods, nothing will restore the color, but chloroform will be effective, if it has simply spotted the dress. Chloroform will take out almost any kind of spots, and without leaving an ugly ring on the dress.

SOCIETY

A quiet but pretty wedding took place this afternoon at half after four o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams, 1657 Eleventh street, where their pretty daughter, Myrtle Elizabeth, and Mr. Albert H. Uhl were married in the presence of the immediate families. The attendants were Misses Madge and Edna Marshall, Messrs. Frank Rowe and Arthur Kugelmann. Rev. Mr. Lindemeyer, pastor of the German Evangelical church, officiated. The bride, an unusually attractive girl, was attired in white crepe de chine, with an overdress

of white silk shadow lace. The bodice cut low neck and short sleeves and the skirt of round walking length. Miss Madge Marshall wore a pink silk gown trimmed in lace and Miss Edna Marshall was attired in light blue crepe de chine trimmed in lace. After the ceremony the happy couple went to camp near Franklin Furnace where an elegant supper will be served and the happy couple will spend two weeks there. The bride is a popular young woman and has been honored with several showers and parties previous to her marriage. The groom, a splendid young man, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Uhl, of Sinton street, and holds an excellent position in the First National Bank. On returning from camp they will reside for a time with the bride's parents. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts from their relatives and numerous friends.

Miss Clara Waller and Miss Sue Purcell will leave tomorrow for a month's stay at Graham Springs, Harrodsburg, Ky.

Mr. Leonard Cook left today for his home in Oak Hill, after visiting his daughter, Mrs. Theodore Shumate.

Mr. and Mrs. Warwick W. Anderson will leave tomorrow for Atlantic City and New York City where they will spend a month after which they will go to Chicago to bring home their sweet little daughter, Lida, who is visiting her grandparents in Chicago.

Mrs. Phoebe Musser, of Court street, started today on an extended trip through California and the Southwest, visiting in Los Angeles and San Francisco, Peas and El Paso, Texas.

Miss Linae Heid and Mrs. Walter Dempsey, of Hanging Rock, have gone to Haverhill after visiting a few days in Cincinnati.

Mrs. B. F. Vandervort has gone home to Hamilton after a short visit with Miss Margaret Lloyd and niece, Miss Mary Margaret Feller.

Mrs. Nellie Thomas and family and Miss Anna Marie Capehart are visiting at the Miller farm near Wakefield.

Miss Katherine Halderman will soon have as guest Miss Helen Dee, of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Anderson arrive home today at the end of a two weeks' stay in Atlantic City.

The Misses Margaret Hans and Marie Torgess entertained at the home of Miss Margaret Hans, 312 Offshore street, with a linen shower as an anti-nuptial favor to Miss Myrtle Williams, who will wed Mr. Albert Uhl this evening. The table was beautifully adorned in yellow and white chrysanthemums. In the center hung a beautiful white dove, which held in its mouth a yellow rosebud. White and yellow ribbons were hung from the chandelier to the four corners of the table, which were caught with yellow chrysanthemums. As the bride-to-be was seated at the table she was presented with a basket which had in the center a large yellow bow, which was presented to her by little Miss Beatrice Conroy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conroy. The favors were yellow and white baskets with yellow bows which were filled with dainty candies. Piano music was rendered by Miss Margaret Goltz, Margaret Hans and brother, Howard, with piano and saxophone. A beautiful vocal solo was rendered by Miss Rosa Lindemeyer. Yellow and white ices and cake were served. Those present were: Myrtle Williams, Irma Lindemeyer, Emma Hermann, Mary Hermann, Lena Marshall, Edna Marshall, Carrie Snider, Bertha Kielman, Emma Heifner, May Kahl, Margaret Goltz, Margaret Hans, Clara Hans, Marie Torgess, Margaret Torgess. The only out of town guest was Miss Alma Wiegmann, a cousin of Miss Alma Lindemeyer of Chicago, Ill. The hostess, Miss Margaret Hans was assisted by Miss Marie Torgess in serving the delicious dainties.

The program presented by the Hilltop W. C. T. U. at the Scioto County W. C. T. U. Institute last evening at Hutchins Street Baptist church was as follows:

Song—Children of the Central L. T. L.

Devotional—Mrs. Marnie Erwin.

Vocal—"The World Is Dying for a Little Bit of Love"—Miss Elizabeth Pfau.

Contest—Five Girls—Lois Burton, Frances Molster, Mabel Harris, Katherine Micklethwait, Katherine Skaggs. The winner was Katherine Micklethwait, who received the silver medal.

The judges were Rev. B. B. Cartwright, Rev. E. G. Hamilton and Mrs. A. M. Reiser.

Vocal—"My Mother's White Ribbon"—Rev. F. M. Chase.

Talk—Y. P. B. Work of the W. C. T. U.—Mrs. Griffith, a state worker.

Mrs. P. J. Kline has received an interesting letter from Mrs. D. S. Tappan, who is now located at 518 East Twenty-third street, Los Angeles, Cal. Dr. and Mrs. Tappan, formerly of Portsmouth, have been living in California for the past year or more. Dr. Tappan preached for a time in Santa Barbara and is now preaching at Visalia. Mrs. Tappan speaks of the beautiful flowers, and especially of one heiferange 35 inches around the stalk. Miss Lucy Tappan, a graduate of Cornell, who has been in the East since graduating, is spending the summer with her parents in Los Angeles.

The Fourth Street Methodist Young Woman's Missionary Society met last evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Herms, on Kinney's lane. Miss Sarah Bauer and Mrs. George Tressler were the assisting hostesses. Miss Amelia Bittner gave a reading and Rev. A. L. Marting read an interesting letter from Bishop Vietsch, after which all enjoyed Victrola music. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. Misses Barbara Shela and Martha Cook will be hostesses at the next meeting at Miss Shela's home.

Miss Elizabeth Dice and brother, Mr. John Dice, and their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doty, of Ironton, motored to Portsmouth, Sunday, and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Evans. Miss Elizabeth Dice went to Ironton where she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doty. Mr. John Dice returning to Portsmouth.

Mrs. M. Edelson has gone home to Ironton after visiting her parents, Mrs. A. H. Hamel. Mrs. Isadore Edelson, of Ashland, Ky., will remain for a longer visit.

SPECIAL PRICES ON Sugar Corn and Tomatoes.

1 qt. new Sour Kraut 5c
 1 jar new Apple Butter 10c
 1 jar new Preserves 10, 15 and 20c
 1 gallon Cider Vinegar 20c
 1 gallon White Wine Vinegar 20c
 Good Bacon 11, 12½ and 14c
 Good Flour 75, 80 and 85c

All the Fruits and Vegetables, Nuts and Berries, fresh Butter and Eggs a specialty.

J. J. BRUSHART
 The Cash Grocer

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rowe are planning a family reunion the latter part of August, when Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Adams and little daughter, of Newark, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Knowles and baby will be here from Davenport, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry are coming from East Orange, N. J. The first two weeks in August Miss Stella Rowe will spend in Newark with her sister, Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Frank B. Finney, of Cincinnati, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Finney, of Sixth street.

Miss Henrietta Dupuy will leave tomorrow for Pittsburgh, Pa., to join her father, Thomas Dupuy, and together they will go to Lake Tenn Alta, Pa. for an outing and will be joined later in Pittsburgh by Mrs. Dupuy.

Mrs. Mary Francke and daughter, Miss Florence Francke, of Oakley, are visiting Mrs. Adam Giesler, Sr., of Seventh street, and other relatives.

John LeConey, a former through express messenger on the N. & W., now in the railway mail service, with headquarters in Columbus, and his daughter, Virginia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hatto, of East Portsmouth.

Dr. E. L. Braunlin and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shellman, of Dayton, O., who were guests of Dr. Braunlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Braunlin, of Ninth street, left Monday for Charleston to visit for a short time.

Harry Richter, who is employed as electrician on the government land work at Racine, arrived here Monday for a few days' visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richter of the St. John's hotel.

Miss Jessie Miller, who is employed in the offices of the Whitaker-Glessner company, is taking a two weeks' vacation.

We Recommend That You Use
Rexall
 "93" Hair Tonic
 Webster Bros.

L. B. Compton, salesman for the Ohio Store company, after a five weeks' vacation left Monday on a Western trip in the interest of his company. In his absence Mrs. Compton and daughter, Nina, will visit with Miss Jennie Fern Spradlin, of Paintsville, Ky., and Mrs. Robert Spradlin, of White House, Ky.

Miss Lena Heller, of Buena Vista, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ailes have returned from Gallia county, where they visited relatives for two weeks. Mr. Ailes will return to his work in Hall Bros' store Wednesday.

Edwin W. Gableman, court reporter of The Times, left Tuesday for Columbus and Lima, where he will spend part of a two weeks' vacation. He will return home by way of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kellogg, of Columbus, are visiting relatives and friends here.

SHE IS A WISE WOMAN

Who recognizes in the tell tale symptoms such as headache, heaviness, dragging sensations, nervousness and irritability the true cause and relies on Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore her to a healthy normal condition. For forty years this root and herb remedy has been pre-eminently successful in controlling the diseases of women. Merit alone could have stood such a test of time.

Mrs. Jas. Lykens and Mrs. Frank Stewart and Mrs. Mary Kirk have had as guests the past two weeks Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kirk and little daughter, Olive, of Denver. Mrs. Nettie Downey and children, Raymond, Ada and Georgia of Westerville, and Miss Nettie James also of Westerville.

Miss Rue Kirk's guest, Miss Nettie James, returned to her home in Westerville, Monday after a pleasant visit of a week.

CHICKEN SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid of the Wheelersburg Baptist church will give a chicken supper at Inequard's hall Friday evening, July 23. Supper 15c; ice cream and cake 10c. You are invited. adv 20-31

Rev. Father White, of St. Edward's college at Huntington, W. Va., was the guest of J. J. Schaefer and family of Market street Sunday and Monday. Father White was one of the teachers of Mr. Schaefer's son, Clarence, who died of spinal meningitis at St. Edward's last year. He brought a fine enlarged picture of the student and presented it to Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer.

Miss Hazel Holcomb and Miss Alma Davis, of Center street, have returned from Columbus, where they posed for the beauty contest being held by the American Art Film Company. A group picture of all contestants was taken in front of the Capitol building.

Mrs. Theodore Shumate and daughter, Miss Goldie Shumate, of Fourth street, will leave Saturday for Knoxville, Tenn., to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Morelock. Miss Goldie will return home in two weeks and Mrs. Shumate may stay for a longer visit. Mr. Shumate will go down later in the fall to visit his daughter.

Miss Florence Baird left this afternoon for her home in Ripley at the end of a week's visit at the home of Miss Helen Dunn.

Misses Nettie Pray, Winifred and Beatrice Shumate are planning a visit to Lakeside the latter part of August.

Miss Kathryn Mault has returned to her duties at Anderson's store at the end of a week's stay at her home at Gephart's Station, where she was ill.

THE STARVING MILLIONS

You would think they were starving the way they bite holes in your epidermis these warm nights. A twenty-five cent bottle of Skeete-Dope will protect you for the balance of the season. Telephone Flood & Blake, No. 93, adv.

The Baldwin Pianos

Grand Prix, Paris, 1900
 The Grand Prix, St. Louis 1904
FLOYD E. STEARNS, Mgr.
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Mr. Charles Krotzenberger, of Richmond, Va., visited relatives in Portsmouth over Sunday.



Summer Toilet Comforts

You can easily rub hot weather of most of its discomforts by equipping your dressing table with



Oriental Toilet Requisites, of which you will find a complete line in our toilet goods department. An application of delicately scented disappearing cream, followed by some face powder, before you go out, will protect your complexion against the effects of sun and windburn. A dash of fragrant toilet water will give your bath an invigorating touch. After the bath, a sprinkling with talcum will round-off your comfort when the thermometer is in the nineties.

Vaseline's Oriental Toilet Waters—Vaseline Blossom, 5c and 15c. Geisha Flowers, 10c. Sandalwood, Oriental Violet, and Turkish Rose, each 7c and 15c.

Vaseline's Oriental Talcum Powders—Vaseline Blossom, 5c and 15c. Geisha Flowers, 10c. Sandalwood, Oriental Violet, and Turkish Rose, each 7c and 15c.

Vaseline's Oriental Creams—Vaseline Blossom, 5c and 15c. Geisha Flowers, 10c. Sandalwood, Oriental Violet, and Turkish Rose, each 7c and 15c.

Vaseline's Oriental Face Powders—White, pink, flesh and brunette shades. Vaseline Blossom, 5c. Geisha Flowers, 10c. Sandalwood, Oriental Violet, and Turkish Rose, each 7c and 15c.

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Wednesday and Thursday Are Dress Days at Marting's Big Clearance Sale!



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Of no less than 75 dresses that have formerly sold up to \$25.00 each. White Serges, White Bedford Cord, Colored Crepes and some half silk materials in this big assortment. Some of them are not the very latest style but at this ridiculously low price they will go in a hurry. Almost all sizes here.

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\$15.00 values to close at \$ 7.50
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 \$25.00 values to close at \$12.50
 \$35.00 values to close at \$17.50

SUMMER DRESSES AT ONLY \$5.95

An assortment that is larger than ever before at this popular price is now here for you to choose from. \$7.50 to \$10.00 values. All colors, all sizes.

SUMMER DRESSES AT ONLY \$1.95

\$4.00 and \$5.00 values in Lawns, Ginghams, Voiles, etc. All new styles.

Big Bargains Are Here For You In Children's Dresses!

Bring in the little ones and let us fit them out with summer dresses at little prices.

Every One Reduced
 50c values for 39c
 \$1.00 values for 79c
 \$1.25 values for 98c
 \$1.50 values for \$1.19

Choice White Dresses
 Ages 2 to 14 years
 \$1.25 and \$1.50 values for 98c
 \$2 and \$2.25 values for \$1.49
 \$2.50 and \$3 values for \$1.98
 \$5.00 values for \$3.98



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CLOSE CALLS RECORDED IN TWO AUTO ACCIDENTS

Pleasure-riding on the Scioto trail about nine o'clock Monday evening proved disastrous to two parties when a Buick touring car driven by J. M. Horton, 1133 Twelfth street, and a Ford roadster, driven by a man said to be G. W. Fisher, registered at The Washington hotel and employed as a representative of a firm on the C. & O. N. bridge work, collided with considerable force opposite the Will Fault farm.

Four women occupants of the Horton machine were thrown out, but escaped injury. Both the drivers and a woman occupant of the Fisher car also escaped injury, but were not thrown out of the car.

Horton's machine was city bound, while the Fisher machine was out-bound. The two locked wheels, resulting in considerable damage to both machines. Horton's car lost a wheel, had a fender demolished, springs bent and axle twisted. Similar damages were sustained by Fisher's smaller car and both machines had to be towed in, while the occupants were brought to the city in other machines. Misjudgment of distance by the drivers is attributed as the cause of the accident.

In an effort to avoid a collision with a Ford grocery truck, owned by B. F. Stewart, Vinton and Young streets, and driven by Charles Warnock, Miss Marguerite Dawson, driving R. L. Dawson's Haynes touring car, ran her machine into a curbing at the corner of Highland avenue and Hutchins street Monday evening, breaking the right front wheel. Warnock ran his car over a curbing and onto the sidewalk, but the car escaped damage.

Owls Plan For Carnival

Owls, at their meeting Monday night, enthusiastically discussed arrangements for the carnival which will be held during August. A social session was immensely enjoyed, following the business session.

Paul Burling In The City

Paul E. Burling, who for the past few years has been located in Dallas, Tex., arrived in the city Monday and is the guest of Portsmouth relatives and friends. He is engaged in the piano business, which he says is a little slow owing to the inability of the South to move its cotton crop. Mr. Burling has taken on so much weight since leaving the city that his friends really have to look twice at him to recognize him.

Parks Are Safe

The city police officials now claim to have such control of the various city parks as to insure all visitors, particularly women and children, against insults or annoyance from rowdies.

Madam: Feel Fit- Livell

Get Health. And that clear skin and freshness that Dame Nature intended as yours will follow. Add your system of the constipation poisons that are the real cause of yellow complexion, pimples, coated tongue, bad breath, that heavy, depressed feeling, indigestion, lassitude, etc.

Let Santal Laxatives Guard Your Health

Really wonderful little performers. They'll clean out and clear up your system; tone up the bowels, make you feel great. Santal Laxative contains no cathartics, no habit-forming drugs. Just a universally recognized all-vegetable compound put up in easy-to-take tablet form, sugar-coated. If you want to know the ingredients of Santal Laxative, have your family physician write us for the facts.

Let him tell you just what he thinks of them. You'll know how much we think of Santal Laxative.

A trial will give you as good an opinion. Start tonight. Have your druggist send you a box of Santal Laxative.

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Ford Roadsters	\$20.00
Ford 5 passenger cars	\$30.00
Large size roadsters	\$25.00
7 passenger cars	\$35.00

Material and work guaranteed. Touching up and refinishing half above prices.

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The Political Forum

The Times Will Print Signed Articles From Responsible Men Under This Head, But Disclaims Responsibility For Ideas Advanced Therein

Editor Times:—In an article in the morning paper written by Hon. A. T. Holcomb headed "Portsmouth's Duty" that gentleman draws a very truthful picture of one of the candidates for mayor so true to life, indeed, that he assumed everybody would know whom he meant without mentioning his name. It is significant and worthy of consideration that there is but one candidate that meets the requirements that Mr. Holcomb, who has been one of our foremost citizens, believes a man offering for the position of chief executive of a thrifty and progressive city like Portsmouth should possess. Here is a paragraph from his communication:

"What does the city require at its head? You all answer, a man of strong intellectual vigor, a man of education, and a man of wide experience, one who now knows the needs of the city, its constant obligations of debt, and also knows its opportunities, and who has the force and ability not only to protect the present interests of the city, but also has the knowledge and experience to forecast the future and add by prudent legislation to the betterment of the city, and to its well-earned reputation."

That description spells Judge Osborn. Mr. Holcomb thinks it the duty of every man, especially taxpayers, to elevate the person answering those qualifications to this important office. While it might be considered a

Discusses Change Of The Sabbath

The subject of the gospel tent tonight will be "Why Not Found Out Before?"

"The Change of the Sabbath" was taken up from a standpoint of history by Rev. J. P. Olmsted at the tent last night, and aroused not a little interest in this much mooted question. "Many have wondered why the Bible is silent on the 'change,' but when we consider that the 'change' was brought about after the Bible was written, we can better understand the question under consideration."

"The Mohammedan world observes Friday; Seventh Day Adventists, Seventh Day; Baptists and Jews, Saturday; and the Catholics and Protestants, Sunday. From a standpoint of Scripture we must concede that the seventh day is the only day recognized as the Sabbath from the days of Eden to the present time."

Cardinal Gibbons, in "Faith of Our Fathers," page 111, says: "But you may read the Bible from Genesis to Revelation, and you will not find a single line authorizing the sanctification of Sunday. The Scriptures enforce the religious observance of Saturday, a day which we never sanctify."

Keenan's "Doctrinal Catechism," page 174, says: "Have you any other way of proving that the church has power to institute festivals of precept? Had she not such power, she could not have done that in which all modern religionists agree with her; she could not have substituted the observance of Sunday the first of the week, for the observance of Saturday the seventh day, a change for which there is no scriptural authority."

The following quotation is taken from "Catholic Christian

patriotic and civic duty to nominate and elect such a man as Judge Osborn mayor, now that the opportunity has so splendidly presented itself, there will be hundreds of citizens who know Judge Osborn who will esteem it a pleasure to vote such a worthy candidate into an office so eminently befitting him.

So, Mr. Holcomb might with very good grace, have added "Portsmouth's Privilege" and "Portsmouth's Pride."

Considerable dust has been kicked up in certain circles in the past few days with the evident intent of blurring the vision of those who do not understand the little game of ward politics. But the measure of the job-givers and job-hunters has been taken, and the two bunches who are just now giving us the avil chorus for their respective candidates may yet wind up with the doleful pinings of the dying swan.

It is most gratifying that the real people, and not the political fire brigade, are behaving very nicely and Judge Osborn's chances, at this writing are at least six times as good as any of the other four.

The claqueurs who are trying to distract attention from the big show may consider themselves expert thumb-riggers and gold brick dealers; but the solid business men, the honest working men and the men of intelligence are not patronizing their booth this year.

"On with the dance."

W. H. McCALL.

Make it Easier For Baby in Summer

Many of the Hot-Weather Troubles Can Easily Be Avoided

If the mother will see to it that the bowels are kept regular, much of the illness to which children are most susceptible during hot weather can be prevented.

A mild laxative, administered at regular intervals, will prove an excellent preventive of summer complaints that are caused by inactive bowels. The combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is excellent for children, being pleasant to the taste, gentle yet positive in action, and free from opiate or narcotic drug of any description. It acts naturally, without gripping or other discomfort, and is altogether dependable.

The cleansing of the bowels will most effectively check an attack of diarrhea by expelling the for-



mal matter and poisons that irritate and inflame the tissues. In every home a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should be on hand, ready for use when occasion requires. It costs only fifty cents a bottle and is sold in drug stores everywhere. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 453 Washington St., Monticello, N. Y.

Sub-Power Stations Being Constructed

Contractor J. C. Harris of New Boston, who has the contract for the construction of two sub-power stations between Sciotoville and Hanging Rock, O., for the Ohio Valley Traction Company has completed the concrete foundation for the plant at Franklin Furnace. The concrete foundation for the plant at Hanging Rock will be put in this week. The buildings will be of brick, 14 ft. by 39 ft.

The grade contractors at Hanging Rock are making rapid headway with the cutting of the hill opposite the N. & W. station at that place. The greater part of the right of way has been fenced in and ties have been distributed along the line from Wheelersburg to Haverhill.

Carnival Negro In Shooting Scrape

The Irononian of Tuesday morning said: "The colored residents of South Eighth street were stirred to a high pitch of excitement Sunday evening by a shooting scrape, which had its origin at the boarding house of Mrs. Stratton, near Jefferson street. William Dewey, the gun user, stage manager of the Old Plantation show, with the Metropolitan Carnival Co., now languishes in jail, charged with shooting with intent to kill and was unable to give bond until last night."

"It is understood that Frank Osborne, George King, Clyde Banks, Ab Owens, Bill Calloway and other colored residents interfered when Dewey began to beat his wife, and they in turn, gave Dewey a terrible beating. He then secured a gun and forced all his assailants to flee. Captain Smith claims that when he attempted to arrest his man he was shot at several times, but fortunately escaped unscathed. Finally he captured his man and landed him in the city jail. Dewey is from Birmingham, Ala., and is understood to be a 'bad man.' No one was injured in the melee except Dewey, and his injuries were received in the fight."

The Metropolitan shows were in Portsmouth all last week.

Heavy Rainfall At The Ball Park

Probably the hardest rainstorm of the season visited New Boston at 3:30 Monday afternoon and for over 30 minutes rain came down in blinding sheets, the village being drenched. At one time water stood fully four inches deep on the diamond of the ball park in Millbrook and sheets of rain swept through the grandstand. The storm was not nearly so severe in the city as a rainfall of only .20 of an inch was reported by Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann.

EMERSON M'MILLEN IS MISSING FROM HOME

According to the Columbus Dispatch, Emerson McMillen, the third, a Yale junior and a grandson of a New York broker of the same name, is missing and detectives have been engaged for the past three weeks in the task of trying to locate him. The mother of the missing man is a cousin of the late Mrs. W. B. Tomlinson of this city and the grandfather of the young man at one time was associated with Captain Cole Gillilan in this city. McMillen recently inherited a large estate upon the death of his father and did not wait for the school year to close, but departed after the Yale faculty

had notified him that he was deficient in his studies.

When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 25

To Have New Awning. John Swander expects to improve the exterior appearance of his furniture hospital and antique store on Market street with a new awning.

CHEMICAL COMPANY AND MAYOR SWAP LETTERS

WIFE MAKES COMPLAINT

Mrs. Fred Miller, of 2105 Robinson avenue, complained to the police Tuesday that her husband was drunk and had locked himself up in their home. She also declared he had taken their two children to a saloon with him Monday night. Officer Bramham was detailed to investigate.

Moral—Vote Ohio dry Nov. 2 (Advertisement)

Chas. Anderson Is Injured

Charles Anderson, a Scioto Trail farmer, is still under a physician's care as the result of bruises sustained in a runaway accident one night last week. He was returning home from the city when just as he was approaching his barn the horse frightened and ran away, tearing off the shafts of the vehicle. He was thrown out of the buggy but clung to the lines and was dragged quite a distance.

OVERCOME BY THE HEAT

Dr. E. M. Sellards, of Ashland, Ky., who has relatives here, was overcome by heat last Saturday and was quite ill for a time, according to the Ashland Independent. He had been making a hurry call and when his runabout got stuck in the sand, tried to lift it out. The exertion caused him to collapse.

Goes To Canada.

Walter Sprouse, of 1531 Twelfth street, left Monday for London, Canada, to work in a shoe factory. He was employed with Sater Bros., masonry contractors. Dave Sprouse, a brother, is working in a Detroit, Mich., shoe factory, where he has been since the big strike here.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

TAKE SALTS FOR THE KIDNEYS IF YOUR BACK HURTS

We Should Drink Lots of Water and Eat Less Meat, Says
Noted Authority on Kidney Disorders

Recommends a Spoonful of Jad Salts In Glass of Water Before
Breakfast to Stimulate Kidneys and Eliminate
the Uric Acid

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked, get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy, the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before

breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

Our Advice Is:
When you feel out of sorts from some ailment, let us say that if
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5 REELS OF THRILLING, SUPERB, DRAMATIC ACTION

LITTLE DAMAGE IS DONE TO LOCAL CORN FIELDS

Scioto Takes Out Temporary Bridge; Still Running Out

The Scioto river was still rising Tuesday afternoon and running out about as strongly as during the forenoon, but there was a noticeable falling off in the drift. It is about ready to run over the top of the embankment but no damage is anticipated to corn near Portsmouth.

The expected happened when between 9:30 and 10 o'clock Monday night the greater part of the temporary bridge was torn out and swept down into the Ohio river by the rush of waters from the Scioto. All of the material was lost.

All that was still standing of the structure Tuesday morning was a couple of little spans at each end. Seven bents went out Monday afternoon and the balance of the total of twenty-five bents went down Monday night. Drift had piled behind the bridge clear down to the ground.

The Scioto was still running out worse than ever Tuesday morning, but the Ohio was falling and the worst is believed to be over. No serious damage has been done to corn in this vicinity. Some of the very low ground of the Charles Anderson and Timothy G. Jewett lands have been reached by the water and about one hundred acres of corn lands near the old bed of the river close to

Jacobsville are under water.

Henry Ruel, who for the past few days has been the busiest man in Scioto county, said Tuesday that he was \$2300 behind on his contract of building and maintaining the temporary bridges. It was the fourth bridge he has lost, but he is ready to build for the fifth time. He could build a new bridge in short order but for unfavorable conditions. The worst problem he is confronted with is that of securing the necessary material. He will be able to get flooring and other timbers within ten days or two weeks, but must look to new fields for piling the supply at Turkey Creek having become exhausted. He, too, will have to get on the ground with his pile-driving before the Ohio gets too low and make it impossible to get the piling in the leads of his 45 foot driver.

The ferryboat Bonne has been chartered by Mr. Ruel, she going into service early Tuesday morning. The boat will operate from 6 a. m. until 6 p. m. and a skiff ferry will transport foot passengers after noon. The Bonne costs him \$25 per day. Many West Side workmen employed in the city are walking across the new permanent bridge to and from their homes.

Tots Look For Xmas Tree

The little change to cooler weather after several days of sweltering heat brought visions of the Yuletide to Ralph Micklethwait and Dorothy Dopps, neighbor children, each 3 years of age and they

started out in search of Christmas tree Tuesday morning.

The two little tots wandered away from their homes on Twelfth street and when their absence was discovered and

no trace of them could be found in the neighborhood the police were notified. They were located an hour later in the East End. Ralph is a son of W. J. Micklethwait.

FLOOD WALL BOND ISSUE WILL BE UP TO COUNCIL

The \$70,000 flood wall extension bond issue ordinance will be introduced at Wednesday night's meeting of city council.

An ordinance providing for a \$2500 bond issue for the city's proportion of the cost of paying Kendall avenue from Eighth to Gallia street will also be submitted. The semi-annual appropriation ordinance will also claim council's attention at this meeting.

An ordinance will be presented to build the proposed Adam Pfau sanitary sewer.

Service will be completed and ordinances introduced to proceed with the paving of upper Gay street and the old Chillicothe road east of Gregalyn cemetery.

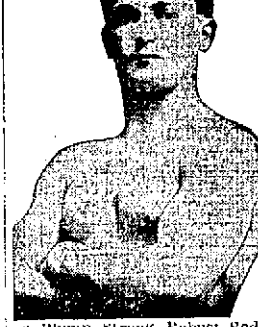
WILL NOT CONSOLIDATE

Philadelphia, July 20.—The Pennsylvania Company today denied reports that Henry C. Frick had been given an option on its Cambria Steel stock or that there was any basis for the reported consolidation of the Cambria and Pennsylvania Steel Company.

People Used to Call Me "Skinny"

But Now My Name Has Changed. Gained 15 Pounds and

Look Like a New Man



A Plump, Strong, Robust Body

"Before I took Sargol people used to call me 'skinny' but now my name is changed. My whole body is stout. Have gained 15 pounds and am gaining yet. I look like a new man," declared a man who had just finished the Sargol treatment.

"I was all run down to the very bottom," writes F. Gagnon. "I had to quit work. I was so weak. Now, thanks to Sargol, I look like a new man. I gained 22 pounds in 29 days."

"Sargol has put 10 pounds on me in 14 days," states W. O. Roberts. "It has made me sleep well, enjoy what I ate and enabled me to work with interest and pleasure."

Would you too, like to quickly put from 10 to 30 pounds of good, solid "stay there" flesh, fat and muscular tissue between your skin and bones?

Don't say it can't be done. Try it.

More than half million thin men and women have gladly made the test, and that Sargol does succeed, does make this folks fat even where all else has failed, is best proved by the tremendous business we have done. No drastic diet, fasts, creams, massage, oils or ointments, but a simple, harmless home treatment. Fisher & Strick and other leading druggists in Portsmouth and vicinity sell SARGOL in large boxes—for 100 tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

Want Women To Register Friday

Women of the city are asked by campaign committee of the Mothers' Club of the Fourth street school to remember that Friday and Saturday are registration days when all who wish to vote at the next election must qualify to vote. Women are entitled to vote for members of the board of education and the Mothers' Club is anxious to have the complete woman vote of the city for the candidate the club expects to endorse.

"Consent Law" Right Upheld By The Court

Columbus, Ohio, July 20.—The supreme court today upheld the constitutionality of the so-called "consent" law, which requires approval of a majority of the

property owners along the route of a proposed street car extension before the line may be installed. The court decided, however, that a municipal charter adopted under the home rule amendment might fully contain a provision to nullify the consent law within the municipality. The two cases testing the validity of the law were brought up from Cleveland and Cincinnati. Because of their similarity they were heard together. Under the decision the Cleveland Railway company may proceed to build a street car line through Euclid avenue between 22nd and 40th streets, so-called "millionaire's row," despite the protest of Frank Billings and other residents of that avenue, who sought an injunction to prevent the street car company from carrying out its plan.

In the Cincinnati case, in which the constitutionality of the consent law was contested, directly, David L. Carpenter and other residents of Reading Road sought to enjoin the Cincinnati Traction company from extending a line through their streets to Bond Hill. They were successful in their suits. The city of Cincinnati is a party in the suit, since the council authorized the new line's extension.

RAZE 131 BUILDINGS

Cincinnati, July 20.—Orders have been issued by the state fire marshal's office for the razing of 131 buildings including dwellings, sheds, stables, outhouses and additions in Cincinnati as the result of the clean-up campaign carried out by the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce assisted by deputy fire marshals.

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LEGAL FIGHT IS WAGED AROUND FRED DROEGE

Attorney J. C. Milner appeared before Judge W. P. Stephenson in local common pleas court Tuesday and made application to quash the service on Fred Droege, Alexandria, Ky., brought into court on a charge of abandonment of legitimate children. Judge Milner claimed that counsel for Mrs. Droege imposed upon the court in having Droege brought to this city, having all witnesses summoned and a jury impaneled before he was given the statutory twenty-four hours' service required in securing a new indictment.

Monday afternoon Droege, instead of being tried on an indictment returned about a year ago, charging him with abandonment of his children, was surprised to face a new indictment of a similar charge. Droege was brought to Portsmouth and tried before a jury which disagreed. From that time on Attorney Milner claimed to the court that he had tried at every term to have the case re-tried, but was unsuccessful. Both Droege and his counsel were greatly surprised Tuesday when they were confronted by a new indictment, when they were supposed to go to trial on the old one.

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He agreed to have a date set for

THERMOMETER IN 90'S, THIEVES TAKE AWAY BIG JUMBO HEATING STOVE

A big Jumbo heating stove was stolen from the rear of the S. Strauss company's new store on Chillicothe street some time Monday night. Police were notified. "Hope they'll have a hot time with it," mused Si when he made the discovery Tuesday morning.

TERMINALS

N. & W. extra freight 399-1090 in charge of Conductor S. Kinsey and Engineers F. Puckett and E. Millan was delayed a short time in pulling out of Portsmouth yard Monday evening. In the old yard at switch No. 3 the back drivers of engine No. 1099 left the track. The iron steed was rerouted without the help of the wreck car.

Mrs. W. T. Carter and children Crystal and Millman of Poplar street, are having a splendid visit in Saginaw, Mich., according to word received by local friends.

The news that O. L. King and wife, evangelists, would arrive Friday from Wellston, O., to open revival meetings at the Tabernacle was gladly received by the regular church attendants who are working hard to build up the membership of the tabernacle.

R. B. Cross, chief train dispatcher on night shift will return to work after a fifteen days' vacation in a few days. W. R. Bailey is working day shift in the place

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river commenced slowly falling Tuesday morning after having passed the 20 ft. mark. Wednesday's packet departures: Str. Greenland for Cincinnati at 5 a. m., Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Tacoma for Pomeroy at 2 p. m., Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

Smith Motorwheel now \$80. Excelsior Cycle Shop. adv 20-4

Low Bid Is Ignored By N. B. Council; Contracts Are Let

Resolutions awarding contracts to Watkins and Phillips for installing water mains in Peebles addition; awarding the Standard Supply company the contract for material for the water system; authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness for \$9,000 and \$2500; ordering a change in the grade of Ohio avenue for one square; and a warm argument between Mayor J. S. Davis and members of council, Lawrence Fitch and W. T. Harr, were the important features of the regular meeting of New Boston council Monday evening when all members except J. C. Harris were present.

Bills amounting to \$166.57 were allowed. A bill for Frank Taylor of \$38.70 for water line inspection was questioned as Taylor had not been working half of the month which the bill was for. He had been hired by the month and he had to be paid.

A resolution was passed authorizing the change in grade of Ohio avenue from the south curb line of Grace street to the second railroad track south of Grace street.

A resolution was passed authorizing the mayor and clerk to issue a certificate of indebtedness to the amount of \$9000 in anticipation of assessments for the improving of Harrisonville avenue from Gallia pike to the north corporation line.

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Clerk Thomas O'Neal read two letters from the State Board of Health which had been sent to Village Engineer Sam Harper. The letters informed council that the village's storm and sanitary sewer plans had been approved with the recommendation of several minor changes.

The state board recommended the use of three foot tile in the sanitary sewer system. They also said that the plan of combining the storm and sanitary sewers at West avenue met with their approval but that council would have to have it arranged so that a change could be made in the sanitary sewer when they deemed it necessary. As sewer system is to be connected to N. & W. sewer near Peebles brick plant the board said that the N. & W. sewer would have to have the bottom paved in order to allow the refuse to pass freely through the sewer. The changes were taken under advisement.

Member Fred Essman made a motion that was passed that three foot tile be used in the construction of the sanitary sewer.

A motion made by Charles Dixon seconded by L. Fitch was passed ordering the solicitor to bring in a resolution awarding the contract for the construction of the storm and sanitary sewer system to Kelley Bros on their bid of \$44,363.88.

Members of council got their heads together before the meeting was called to order and decided that the contracts for the water system in Peebles addition be let to Watkins and Phillips and the Standard Supply Company. A motion was passed ordering the solicitor to bring in a resolution awarding the contract to Watkins and Phillips for the installing of the mains on their bid of \$1101.36. The bid of Charles Shela and A. E. Miller was \$112 lower but was ignored. The Standard Supply company was awarded the contract for material on their bid of \$3003.47. Solicitor Skelton had the resolutions already prepared and they were adopted. Henry Huns addressed council and asked why council was expending a large sum for water pipe when he understood that several ears of pipe had been left over from the recent purchase of pipe for the village's water system. Engineer Harper explained just how much pipe was left over and just where it was to be used.

L. C. Turley part owner of Idlewild addition to New Boston addressed council and reported that

the county commissioners at their meeting Monday had left Idlewild out of the incorporate limits of Sciotoville and asked that council instruct the village engineer and solicitor to gather information relative to the cost of installing sewers and water mains in Idlewild so that council could take immediate action on the annexation of Idlewild. The petition will be taken up August 9th when the commissioners meet.

A motion was passed ordering the engineer and solicitor to prepare the estimates and other necessary data.

Clerk Thomas O'Neal reported that only one bid was received Monday for a motor fire truck. The bid was from the American LaFrance Engine company of Cincinnati and that it was illegal as it was not accompanied by a certified check and that it was over the amount of the appropriation, \$1900, the bid being \$1950.

C. H. Stuplen of Columbus addressed council and outlined his plan of how he could furnish the village with a fully equipped motor truck for \$850. He also explained that council could buy the truck and then have his company equip the truck and make two separate purchases which would allow the purchase of a truck without advertising for more bids. The machine he offered to council was to be equipped with large gong, self starter, ladder, axes, lanterns and chemical tanks. Council talked quite awhile on the matter but could not reach no definite point so it was decided to meet in Solicitor Skelton's office Tuesday to go over the matter more carefully. If the purchase is decided upon the final resolution will be passed at a meeting of council for next Monday evening.

Member Fitch in a short talk expressed his belief that the village should have several water troughs located in different parts of the village. The matter was referred to the water committee and engineer with orders to bring in estimates on the construction cost.

It was at this juncture that Members Fitch and Harr and Mayor Davis waxed warm over the appointment of Lon Rice as extra deputy marshal. Fitch asked council why the mayor had not had the appointment confirmed. Mayor Davis replying that it was a slip of the mind. Fitch demanded to know why the mayor had placed Rice on the job as he was not a voter of Ohio but voted in Kentucky and he (Fitch) thought that a man who had lived in the village for sometime should be appointed to the office. Rice has been working about two months. Harr took sides with Fitch. Mayor Davis after listening to Harr and Fitch said: "What are you men after, votes?" Members Fitch and Harr said they did not care for the vote.

Davis then spoke of the merits

of Rice and his value as an officer, but his plea fell on deaf ears. Fitch again said that he thought voters in the village should have the preference over voters in another state. Member Harr took the floor and told Mayor Davis that the matter did not look like a "slip of the mind" as he had tried such "tricks" before. To end the argument Mayor Davis announced that he had appointed Lon Rice as an extra deputy marshal. Member Fitch's motion that the appointment be rejected was passed. The mayor left the chair at adjournment saying he would not put Rice off the job but Fitch hearing the remark quickly replied that the mayor could be shown. Council will meet in special session next Monday evening.

Decision Tuesday

Judge James W. Tarbell of Georgetown, Ohio, will arrive in the city next Tuesday to hear the argument and hand down a decision in the plumbers' injunction suit. All testimony in the case is in.

Business Visitors

John Harcha and William Alcorn, of Buena Vista, were business visitors here Saturday.

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LEADERS DECLARE NOT EVEN WILSON CAN PREVENT ACT

Bridgeport, Conn., July 20.—Barring last minute developments, nearly a thousand machinists at the plant of the Remington Arms and Ammunition Co., planned to throw down their tools at noon today, thus precipitating, according to labor leaders, a far-reaching strike, that eventually may spread throughout New England and cause serious curtailment of the manufacture of war materials.

All efforts to settle the complicated labor troubles so far have failed. "Neither Samuel Gompers nor the president of the United States can stop this strike now," said J. J. Keppler, international vice-president of the Machinists' Union. Mr. Gompers, as head of the American Federation of Labor, has called a conference of machinists' officials at Washington, but those in charge of the situation assert they will not heed the call. Within a week, according to plans of labor leaders, all work in the Remington shops and in the factories of sub-contractors will be at a standstill. There are from eight to ten thousand persons employed by the Remington company and it is estimated that, including other local factories, 25,000 or more would be thrown out of work.

GERMANS TAKE ANOTHER SEAPORT ON THE BALTIC

Berlin, July 19.—(Via Amsterdam and London, July 20).—Important successes for the Teutonic allies all along the battle line in Russia from the Baltic Sea to Bukovina are claimed in an official statement issued today at the German war office. The army of General Von Gallwitz is said to be standing in force on the Narva line southwest of Novogorodsk, one of the girdle of fortresses

Can Get Indemnity For Property Lost In German Invasion

Washington, July 20.—Official instructions to Americans who desire to present against Germany claims growing out of its requisition of property in Belgium, northern France and Poland have been sent out by the state department. Millions of dollars worth of property are understood to be affected. The United States has been officially advised of the German government's creation of "The Imperial Indemnity Committee" to consider claims for compensation for property requisitioned in enemy territory occupied by German military forces.

The rules of procedure require that the commission's proceedings shall be conducted in German and that documents submitted in any other language will be considered only when accompanied by certified German translation. Numerous claims have already been presented and pressed for action by the department. They include a variety of articles of considerable value but of a luxurious character seized by the Germans in Belgium on the pretext of being needed for the army of occupation, and then shipped back to Germany.

The department does not accept in principle the taking of property

TAKE OATH TO DEFEAT AUSTRIANS

Udine, Italy, Monday, July 19.—(Via Paris, July 20).—Colonel Peppino Garibaldi, and a number of other officers who served in the regiment of Italian volunteers which fought with the French army in the Argonne earlier in the war have reached the Italian front in the Cadore region. They have been attached to the Alpine brigade formed by the grand-father of the Garibaldi brothers,

SHE'S DAUGHTER OF ITALY'S KING



New photograph of Princess Yolanda. The beautiful Princess Yolanda is the eldest daughter of the king and queen of Italy. She was born June 1, 1901.

AVIATORS BOMBARD CAPITAL

Paris, July 20.—(Via London).—The official announcement from the war office says that a squadron of six French aeroplanes bombarded the station at Colmar, capital of upper Alsace. The aeroplanes returned undamaged.

GERMANS PLAN FOR CAPTURE OF RIGA

London, July 20.—The belief is expressed in Danish military circles according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., that the Germans intend to use Windau and Tukum

GOVERNOR MAY YET GO TO EXPOSITION

Columbus, July 20.—Governor Willis said today the only thing that will prevent him attending the legislative re-union to be held in Cincinnati, September 21 to 24, and to include a trip to Chattanooga, in a special train financed by Cincinnati commercial interests, is a trip to the San Francisco exposition which he still plans to take about that time.

He had planned to go to the coast a month ago but cancelled the tour at that time owing to pressure of state business. The itinerary of the exposition will be about the same as that arranged for the famous Italian patriot in the war against Austria in 1866. The Garibaldians have taken an oath to defeat the Austrians or die in the attempt.

NEW NOTE READY FOR CABINETS APPROVAL

Washington, July 20.—Final decision on the character of the next note to be sent to Germany by the United States on submarine warfare waited upon today's meeting of the cabinet. A note which President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing prepared yesterday was ready to be laid before the president's official family for discussion. It was expected to receive the approval of the cabinet

WILLIS IS DISPLEASED, WILL PROBE FINANCES

Columbus, July 20.—Indications were today that Governor Willis would make a personal investigation of the state finances as a result of the attack on the present Republican administration's appropriations made by State Auditor Donahay in a statement given out Saturday. The auditor who compared the expenses of the administration declared that although the expenses of the last year of the Cox term was \$18,000,000, \$22,000,000 had been appropriated by the present legislature for the first year of the Willis administration. Gov. Willis felt much displeasure over the

HANDLE IMPORTANT BOOSTS OF TRADE



Herbert C. Hengstler and Wilbur J. Carr. Wilbur J. Carr is director of the consular service and Herbert C. Hengstler is chief of the state department's consular bureau.

OKLAHOMA FIRED IN THREE PLACES; PROBE IS STARTED

Philadelphia, July 20.—Not until more smoke was observed three hours later. After the second fire was finally extinguished smoke was discovered in another part of the vessel at midnight.

S. M. Knox, president of the company which constructed the new super-dreadnought, was unable to determine the origin of the fire and declared that a rigid investigation would be made. The Oklahoma was launched on March 23rd, 1914, and was about ready for trial trip preparatory to being turned over to the United States government in September. She cost \$4,000,000 and her armament, which includes ten 14-inch guns, an additional \$3,000,000.

WANTS BUSINESS MEN TO BECOME MILITARY

Columbus, July 20.—Letters sent to mayors of all cities today by the adjutant general's department asked about business or professional men who want to take the two weeks' course in military training which is being arranged tentatively for the last two weeks in September at Camp Perry. If enough men apply for the equipment to make it financially possible, the state military department will arrange the course, Colonel E. S. Bryant, assistant adjutant general, indicated today. Similar arrangements are being made by New York state, he declared. The adjutant general's department will rely on mayors of cities or other officials to give publicity to the scheme in local communities and to urge interested men to send their applications to the adjutant general. It was decided today the cost will be not more than \$20 for the two weeks, exclusive of transportation to Camp Perry. This will be enough to supply uniforms which would be purchased through the state military department, to pay national guard officers who would act as training officers for the "raw recruits" and to buy ra-

PROTESTS ATTACK ON CUNARD LINER ORDUNA

New York, July 20.—William O. Thompson, counsel to the Federal Industrial Relations Commission said today that he had sent to the state department in Washington a protest against the attack of the German submarine on the Cunard liner Orduna on which vessel he was a passenger. His protest was first telephoned and then mailed yesterday morning.

Mr. Thompson said that he used the telephone to convey his protest to the state department because he desired to remain in New York for a few days but that he had offered to go to Washington at once if necessary. He was requested to forward a full report by mail and did so.

Fear More Famine In City Of Mexico

Washington, July 20.—Renewed activity in Mexico was causing officials here some concern today. With Carranza troops leaving Mexico City to battle approaching Villa forces and food supplies again cut off from the capital by military use of the road to Vera Cruz it was feared here hunger would again menace civilians. Meanwhile news of renewed fighting in the north is reaching here. Carranza forces were declared to have taken Naco, Sonora, on the border and an army of the first chief is reported moving towards Cananea and

LIGHTNING KILLS TWO

Washington, July 20.—Professor Augustin J. Bourdeau, aged 41, prominent Seventh Day Adventist, and Edwin DeWees, 13, son of an Adventist, are dead, and Marguerite Bourdeau, 9, a daughter of the dead man, is seriously injured as the result of lightning stroke at Tacoma, Park, Md., a suburb. The three were standing near a tree in front of the Adventist administration building in Tacoma Park late yesterday afternoon. They were viewing the work of the lightning on the tree when a second bolt came. Bourdeau and young DeWees were instantly killed. The girl was badly burned but is expected to recover.

OUTLAWS KILL BOY

Corpus Christi, Texas, July 20.—Mexican bandits killed Bryan Doyle, 18 years old, of Tampa, Fla., in a raid on the Gano ranch near Raymondville Sunday night. First report said a Texas ranger was killed. A posse is pursuing the outlaws.

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; moderate temperature.

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TAKING THE FIRST STEP.

The new mayor of Huntington, who by the way is a Democrat, announces that the first step of his administration will be to make the coming metropolis of West Virginia the city beautiful. To this end the first step will be the planting of shade trees along the residential thoroughfares. This will be done in two ways: First by making the planting a popular movement and which that is well spent, if the work is not completely done legal methods of coercing the setting out of trees will be resorted to.

The beginning is entirely approvable. After all is said and done there is nothing that adds so much to the attractiveness of a city as heavily shaded streets and Huntington, with her broad, well paved thoroughfares and her generally spacious lawns would lend herself most effectively to such enhancement. Many of her citizens will realize this with the mere suggestion of the idea of beautifying and will lend themselves cheerfully to it, but on the other hand, there will be others who will not, or if realizing will utterly fail to do their part. Just what legal means the mayor, as he hints, is going to take to compel them so to do, is beyond the ken and experience of the average municipality, which finds difficulty enough in compelling a part of its citizenry to observe regulations that are common place and established. There will await with keen interest the development of his novel processes and their results.

JUST A THOUGHT.

There was laid away in Greenlawn, Monday morning, a woman, whose long life, quiet and unpretentious as it was, wrote large the story of sweetness and helpfulness.

To Clay B. Newman there never came of what the world calls wealth, but she possessed in fullness riches that were beyond compare. Clouds passed over her days, as they do those of all mortals, but through and over them glowed brightly the buoyancy of her temperament. There was an abounding graciousness in her, not alone of word and manner, but of action. Somehow where others were concerned she could do the brighter and the more useful thing better than any one else. She was the embodiment of helpfulness. Sympathy she had unstinted, but it was not the sympathy that mingled its tears with yours; it was quicker and more intelligent, a fire that glowed and warmed with cheer. Years beyond the average mortal span she went and loved among us for with her task and toil was not work, but love manifesting itself outwardly, scattering the seed of comfort and bringing forth the fruitage of gladness. It is exciting to dwell on the eternal gladness in which she is enjoying her reward.

ANOTHER COME TO NAUGHT.

Precedent to becoming our good young governor, one Frank B. Willis roared and paved up the earth of this great state of Ohio, protesting against the extravagance and profligacy of the odious Cox administration, and for good measure threw in a few hundred rows of retrenchment and reform.

Last week State Auditor Donahy furnished the public figures on what the expenditures were under the Cox administration and what they are going to be under that of our good young Governor. Now our aforesaid good young governor, like many an over zealous seeker after office, proves long on promise and short on performance.

The expenditures of the Cox administration, were, in round numbers, eighteen million dollars for each of its two years; those of the Willis administration are twenty-two millions for the first year and will be near unto nineteen million for the second, with the possibility of an extra session of the assembly adding a few more.

Of course, the holler plate editorial columns of the G. O. P. press will begin soon to rattle with the claim that the extra four millions for the first year represents a payment of the deficit left by the odious and deceiving Cox regime, but you don't have to believe them, because it isn't so. The sad experience is just another case of a broken pledge, a candidate promising something, of which he neither has knowledge in fact, nor power of accomplishment in performance.

The hater is bitten. Hon. Al Jennings was held up and robbed by a highwayman the other day, and, worst of all, the Hon. Al was unprofessional enough to hold out \$5 in the looting.

Are the fellows so ready to lay to the German government responsibility for each and every brawl and trouble in this country aware of the compliment they pay to its potentiality?

The Lexington Herald is so exultant over the swinging open of the driveways of its local cemetery and the Yellowstone Park to the all conquering automobile, that it holds the one no less an event than the other.

Of course, the inhabitants of all the belligerent European nations are fairly seething with patriotism, but the huge labor troubles in both England and Germany indicate that here and there thought is held of "number one."

THE CASE OF THE "OLD RIVER MAN."



BULLY FOR MAYSVILLE.

Maysville, Kentucky, is not so much when it comes to size, but she is all there when it comes to the sporting instinct. Her people like good clean sport and they are willing to give the necessary financial support to secure such sport. That is why Maysville now has a team in the Ohio State League while Chillicothe and Huntington both failed to maintain a franchise. We are surprised that Chillicothe fell down, but we are not surprised at Huntington for that town was built on bluff, has been run on bluff, has been so successful at the game that she has grown to the proportions of a small city, and is now viewing the future on the same old bluff. She tried to bluff her way into the League on bluff but for once she was called and on the show down she did not have a shirt to her back.

We welcome Maysville into our midst and we wish the plucky little town all kinds of success; we extend our sympathy to Chillicothe because she grew faint-hearted, but for Huntington, we haven't much aside from a ribald jeer or two over her making such mighty pretense and then being caught out in the rain.

CAN EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS.

Elsewhere is printed a communication from Col. W. H. McCall bearing upon the Republican mayoralty situation and in this connection we wish to say that this is done, not with the idea of advancing or adversely affecting the chances of any Republican candidate, nor as an expression of any opinion on the part of this paper. The card is printed simply to permit a Republican voter to express his opinion.

We may say further that the same liberty is given or will be given to any voter in the city who may wish to express his opinions on the various candidates at the coming primary, the only reservation being that the cards must not be too long, must be the production of the individual himself, and they must be signed by the real name of the author, such name to be printed at the bottom of the article. The writers must bring them to the office and submit them to the editor. Nothing of an abusive character will be printed. No anonymous articles will be printed.

The circulation of the Noon Extra edition of The Times is growing steadily. A little while ago it reached an average of 2,000 copies daily and now for more than three weeks it has been hanging around the 2,300 average. And this edition is only sold on the streets.

The caustic Atholston Globe observes that where one man is willing to work himself to the top there are a dozen trying to talk themselves there.

EPIDEMIC OF ROBBERIES.

Every once in a while there is an epidemic of small robberies, the thief or thieves operating successfully for several weeks, apparently entering homes at will and getting away with valuables. Sometimes these robberies are the work of home talent and again they are the work of professionals who drop in and out of the city. Catching them is a hard job and as a rule it is only by accident that the guilty ones are caught in the toils of the law as they make it a point to operate when a policeman is not in the neighborhood.

Right now Portsmouth seems to be having one of these periodical visitations. A number of homes have been entered, details of which have appeared in the papers, and it is learned, a number of other robberies have occurred which have not been reported to the police. We suggest to citizens the advisability of seeing to it that their homes are securely locked when they leave and that they report every suspicious character promptly to police headquarters. In this way they can aid in apprehending the robbers.

They are all alike. We see the Star of Portsmouth, Virginia, is busily boosting to boost its base ball club through the season.

Italy at war is not one quarter so interesting as was Italy on the brink of war. Which only goes to show that there is always more pleasure in anticipation.

Chicago women have begun to wear detachable collars and cuffs, just like men. There was never anything they are more welcome to.

The generals, captains, corporals, antlers and camp-followers of the militant factions of the G. O. P. are trying hard to make a noise that sounds like activity, but for the life of us we can't see where the rank and file is showing the least interest.

The speed demon must be depressed by the torrid weather. Sunday's telegram carried news of only one serious automobile accident and in that only one was immediately killed.

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S. ANSLEM SKELTON

Republican Candidate for Nomination of

CITY SOLICITOR

Primary Tuesday, August 10.

Sketchy Line
OLD NEW YORK
By C. J. M. M. M.

New York, July 20.—This is the story of a man with a Big Idea. It is the tale of a man who battles against overwhelming odds because he thought he was right and came out unscathed and victorious. Fifteen years ago this big idea began to germinate and today the originator of the plan to save dope fields has seen the fruition of his hopes. He has Dope — civilization's greatest curse — groggy and holding to the ropes. At any time the knock-out punch and he delivered.

Charles B. Towns is not a doctor but he has proven to the medical world that he knows more about habit forming drugs than any other person. And Charles B. Towns safely and practically will tell you that it will not be long until "dope" is wiped off the map. Big words you say? But just remember they come from the lips of a man who modestly announced fifteen years ago that the drug habit could be cured in a few days and proved it.

Towns is today recognized as the world's greatest authority on the drug habit. He has had thousands of cases of drug addiction cured under his supervision. He does what he sets about to do.

He is a doer—not a talker. The other month Henry Ford summoned him to his big plant in Detroit. He told him sorrowfully that he had found several of his best workmen addicted to drugs. He felt that now was the time to save them and Towns was the man to do it. Towns got the group of employees together—talked to them in his frank, open and sincere way and that night all started for New York. In one week's time these men were restored to a useful place in the world.

They are back at work in the big Ford factory and before Towns is done he intimates that there will be no drug users or booze-fighters in the plant. Henry



No Lack of Work To Do
If you're looking for something to do,

Don't think your chance is small; Don't wander away and get blue soon.

For there's labor that suits us all. If you're built for fight, there's a chance in sight.

In the lands that are far away. If for peace you yearn, you can take your turn.

In the eloquent display.

You can march to the battle line, son, You can teach if you've learned aright.

You can toil where the grain grows fine, son, And study your books by night.

There are tasks that wait till the hour grows late. And never a task that's through. Don't doubt and sigh as the hours go by.

There's plenty for you to do. —Washington Star.

Is This a Slam at W. J. B.? A man can get to the top quick or by working than by talking. Some men even put themselves out of business by too much talk. —New Castle, (Pa.) News.

Almost as Wise as Dolly One day two laborers were discussing the wisdom of the present generation. —Said one: "We be wiser than our fathers was, and they was wiser than their fathers was."

The second one, after pondering a while and gazing at his companion, replied: "Well, Garge, what a fools thy grandfather must 'a' been!"

Get He Felt Like Thirty Centa We wonder how John felt the other night after taking Miss Foster to church and then had to go home by himself. —Cadiz Republican.

Oh You Chickens! In one Minnesota town they have clever chickens who ought to be giving exhibitions in vaudeville or a circus, relates the Ulica Press. The village marshal has posted a notice reading: "I have been instructed by the village council to enforce the ordinance against chickens running at large and riding bicycles on the sidewalks." Perhaps the chickens referred to are not the feathered variety.

First Quality Work at Reasonable Price, Brehmer, the Painter.

In yesterday's Extra it was said the arrests for the last year of legalized saloons in West Virginia was sixty-six per cent less than for the first year of prohibition. A sort of double mistake as the number was sixty-six per cent greater, instead of less.

To be sure there are cooler places than the Peerless just at the present writing, but there are a thousand that are hotter.

POLLY AND HER PALS



NICE, CONSIDERATE CHAP, MR. HODSON.



Bitten By A Dog

E. M. Johnson, 319, Fourth street, complained to the police Monday evening that he had been bitten by a dog belonging to the Becker family at Twenty-first and Tenthon's avenue.

Must Out Weeds The city sent out appeals Monday with a view to having weeds cut at the John Bauer lot, corner Eighth and Lincoln streets; the H. H. Paetker lot at Hutchins and Highland avenues and the Charles P. Stamm property, corner Eighth and Murray streets.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter.

BATTLE WITH NEGROES WAGED ALONG LINE OF C. & O. FROM COVINGTON TO VANCEBURG

One Fugitive Killed At Maysville; Posse Captures The Other

A thrilling pistol duel between two colored men giving the names of Jerry Lewis, 25, married, and Grant Howard, 23, married, and three Covington policemen, which resulted in one being hurt, was continued late yesterday afternoon at Maysville, Ky., where the negroes fled on a freight train, and where one negro was killed and an officer shot. The end of the thrilling series of events came at Vanceburg, when a posse of 150 citizens captured the other fugitive.

When the fugitives alighted from an eastbound C. & O. freight train near the infirmity crossing just east of Maysville, the negroes opened fire on Chief of Police James Mackey and Officers E. P. Blumhuff, W. H. Tolle. Lewis was shot three times and died later from his wounds.

POLICEMAN WAS ALSO SHOT

Officer Blumhuff was shot in the left wrist and in left arm, but not seriously. Despite the fact that a volley of shots were fired at Howard he succeeded in evading his captors by running through a cornfield and as the train passed him on which he had been riding he boarded it and started for Vanceburg.

TRAPPED IN WILLOWS

A posse of 150 people most of whom were armed and which was led by Sheriff W. T. Stone, traced Howard to the willows near the Ohio river. Hemmed in on all sides he surrendered and when searched two revolvers, a 38 Smith and Wesson and a 44 Smith and Wesson, were found on him. Howard told the officers that the 38 gun was his and that Lewis turned his 44 gun over to him after he had been mortally wounded.

Word had reached Vanceburg that two colored men had shot a detective perhaps fatally while near the Silver Grove yards and that a police officer of Maysville had also been killed. Aroused by this news, which later it was learned was not true practically all of Vanceburg turned out last night to assist Sheriff Stone and Marshal Hendrickson in running down the negro.

"I Surrender"

As an eastbound train pulled into Vanceburg last night a colored man was seen to leave one of the rear cars and start to run through a cornfield that led to the Ohio river. The officers and posse, who were waiting, saw him leave the train and started in pursuit. When he reached the willows he held up both hands.

"Come and get me, I surrender," he yelled, putting his guns on the ground. "It was a case of life or death and evidently he preferred to surrender peacefully to having his body riddled with bullets. Same Negroes Who Were at So. Porto.

It is believed that these negroes are the ones who two weeks ago fired three shots at Detective John Howery, the shooting taking place just east of South Portsmouth. They are also supposed to be the negroes who have been robbing C. & O. employes on pay days at Covington and detectives had been on the watch for them when the shooting took place.

Opened Fire On Detectives

When a C. & O. freight train pulled out of Covington shortly after the noon hour Monday Howard and Lewis were seen to board the train. As a detective approached them one of the colored men opened fire on the detective. The train was then making about ten miles an hour and it was impossible to stop it. Word was immediately sent to Maysville and Chief of Police Mackey was instructed to get two or three police and watch.

Bullets Whistled All Around Officers

When the news of the shooting at Covington reached Maysville Chief of Police Mackey and Officers Tolle and Blumhuff went to the East End of the city as this is usually the place where the train riders jump off, not taking any chances of being captured near the depot.

Before the officers could draw their guns the negroes opened fire upon them, according to Chief of Police Mackey, and bullets whistled all around their heads for a few seconds.

Negro Gets In Open and Is Shot

Howard succeeded in hiding behind a car but when Lewis stepped out in the open he was shot three times, once in the left leg, through the right hip and one bullet penetrated the stomach. Lewis was moved to the Haywood hospital, where he died a few hours later. The ball that landed in his stomach perforated ten intestines.

Before Lewis fell mortally wounded he shot Officer Blumhuff twice, one ball inflicting a flesh wound on the left wrist and one passing through the forearm near the elbow. His condition is not serious. Blumhuff has been a member of the Maysville police force for a number of years.

On The Bonne

Jesse Allen has given up his position on Capt. Tanner's steamer Lyda at the C. & O. Northern bridge work to take employment on the ferryboat Bonne.

Language of World

It is next to impossible to be precise about the number of languages in the world, but it is known that they exceed 4,000, including dialects, there are probably more than 200,000 varieties of human speech.

NOTICE OF PRESENTING COUNTY ROAD PETITION

General Code, Secs. 6858, 6865, 6 Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Scioto County, at their next session, September 6th, A. D. 1915, praying for the establishment of a County Road on the following line to-wit: Beginning at McDermott, Ohio, at Western terminus of the County Road heretofore established and surveyed from Rushtown, Ohio, to McDermott; thence in a westerly direction on the south side of Brush Creek to Arion, Ohio, and intersecting the Lombard and Arion road at Arion through the lands of the McDermott Stone Company, Daniel and Frank Jones, Charles Swank, William Tatman, Lewis George, Sherman Stahl, Amelia F. Banks, heirs of David Holt, William Banks, George Walsh, Barbara Kern, Alex. Saddler, J. W. O'Brien, Henry Payne, William Payne, and Mrs. Thomas Kelley. July 20th, 1915. E. M. WALLER and others. July 20-27 Aug. 3-10.

MAN'S LEG IS GROUND OFF AT STEEL PLANT

Charles Stapleton, employed as a switchman in the plant of the Whitaker-Glessner mill fell from dinky train No. 5 while at work at 9:30 Monday night and his body cleared the tracks except his left leg, which was ground off just below the knee. Stapleton, according to his story, was riding on the end of one of the cars and when it jolted suddenly he lost his balance and fell beneath the train.

Stapleton, who lives at 171 East Rhodes, New Boston, was hurriedly conveyed to the hospital at the Whitaker-Glessner plant where his leg was amputated below the knee by Drs. Harry Schirrmann and Lucien Locke. Later Stapleton was removed to the Hempstead hospital, where his condition was reported satisfactory Tuesday morning.

Stapleton is married and has two children. He is employed in the open hearth department of the Whitaker-Glessner plant and was conveying a train load of ingots from this department when the accident took place that will leave him maimed for life.

Goes To Canada

Walter Sprouse, of 1531 Twelfth street, left Monday for London, Canada, to work in a shoe factory. He was employed with Suter Bros, masonry contractors, Dave Sprouse, a brother, is working in a Detroit, Mich. shoe factory, where he has been since the big strike here.

Owls Plan For Carnival

Owls, at their meeting Monday night, enthusiastically discussed arrangements for the carnival which will be held during August. A social session was immensely enjoyed, following the business session.

Parks Are Safe

The city police officials now claim to have such control of the various city parks as to insure all visitors, particularly women and children, against insults or annoyance from rowdies.

Complain About Vaults

Complaints about vaults in the vicinity of Fifteenth and Union streets have been referred to Dr. W. W. Smith, city health officer.

Smith Motorwheel now \$60. Excelsior Cycle Shop. adv 20-4

Carnival Negro In Shooting Scrape

The Irononian of Tuesday morning said:

The colored residents of South Eighth street were stirred to a high pitch of excitement Sunday evening by a shooting scrape, which had its origin at the boarding house of Mrs. Stratten, near Jefferson street. William Dewey, the gun user, stage manager of the Old Plantation show, with the Metropolitan Carnival Co., now languishes in jail, charged with shooting with intent to kill and was unable to give bond until last night.

It is understood that Frank Osborne, George King, Clyde Banks, Ab Owens, Bill Calloway and other colored residents interfered when Dewey began to beat his wife, and they in turn, gave Dewey a terrible beating. He then secured a gun and forced all his assailants to flee. Captain Smith claims that when he attempted to arrest his man he was shot at several times, but fortunately escaped unscathed. Finally he captured his man and landed him in the city bastle. Dewey is from Birmingham, Ala., and is understood to be a "bad man." No one was injured in the melee except

Dewey, and his injuries were received in the fight.

The Metropolitan shows were in Portsmouth all last week.

Learn Linotype, make \$24 per week. Columbus Linotype School Box 937. 14-6t

Excelsior Cycle Shop, 1014 Gallia, cycle supplies and repair. adv 20-4

NERVY THIEF GRABS PURSE

One of the boldest thefts that has been committed in the city in a long time took place Sunday evening when an unknown man grabbed Mrs. C. M. Turner's purse just as she was leaving her home at 913 Ninth street to make a trip down town.

The purse contained \$8 in a small purse and \$1.25 in the purse proper and a door key. Mrs. Turner says it was so dark

that she could not tell whether it was a man or a boy, but she is almost certain that it was a heavy set man of medium height, who wore a dark suit of clothes and a dark hat. The thief also wore a black slouch hat turned down all around, Mrs. Turner says. The pocketbook was found Monday in a yard between Eighth and Ninth on Chillicothe streets, but nothing was found in it.

LITTLE DAMAGE IS DONE TO LOCAL CORN FIELDS

Scioto Takes Out Temporary Bridge; Still Running Out

The expected happened when between 9:30 and 10 o'clock Monday night the greater part of the temporary bridge was torn out and swept down into the Ohio river by the rush of waters from the Scioto. All of the material was lost.

All that was still standing of the structure Tuesday morning was a couple of little spans at each end. Seven dents went out Monday afternoon and the balance of the total of twenty-five dents went down Monday night. Drifts had piled behind the bridge clear down to the ground.

The Scioto was still running out worse than ever Tuesday morning, but the Ohio was falling and the worst is believed to be over. No serious damage has been done to corn in this vicinity. Some of the very low ground of the Charles Anderson and Timothy G. Jewett lands have been reached by the water and about one hundred acres of corn lands near the old bed of the river close to Leesville are under water.

Henry Ruel, who for the past few days has been the busiest man in Scioto county, said Tuesday that he was \$2200 behind on his contract of building and maintaining the temporary bridge. It was the fourth bridge he has lost, but he is ready to build for the fifth time. He could build a new bridge in short order but for unfavorable conditions. The worst problem he is confronted with is that of securing the necessary material. He will be able to get flooring and other timbers within ten days or two weeks, but must look to new fields for piling the supply at Turkey Creek having become exhausted. He, too, will have to get on the ground with his pile-driving before the Ohio gets too low and make it impossible to get the piling in the leads of his 46 foot driver.

The ferryboat Bonne has been

Chas. Anderson Is Injured

Charles Anderson, a Scioto Trail farmer, is still under a physician's care as the result of bruises sustained in a runaway accident one night last week. He was returning home from the city when just as he was approaching his barn the horse frightened and ran away, tearing off the shafts of the vehicle. He was thrown out of the buggy but clung to the lines and was dragged quite a distance.

Paul Burling In The City

Paul E. Burling, who for the past few years has been located in Dallas, Tex., arrived in the city Monday and is the guest of Portsmouth relatives and friends. He is engaged in the piano business, which he says is a little slow owing to the inability of the South to move its cotton crop. Mr. Burling has taken on so much weight since leaving the city that his friends peevishly have to look twice at him to recognize him.

CLOSE CALLS RECORDED IN TWO AUTO ACCIDENTS

Pleasure-riding on the Scioto trail about nine o'clock Monday evening proved disastrous to two parties when a Buick touring car driven by J. M. Horton, 1133 Twelfth street, and a Ford roadster, driven by a man said to be G. W. Fisher, registered at the Washington hotel and employed as a representative of a firm on the C. & O. N. bridge work, collided with considerable force opposite the Will Fourt farm.

Four women occupants of the Horton machine were thrown out, but escaped injury. Both the drivers and a woman occupant of the Fisher car also escaped injury, but were not thrown out of the car.

Horton's machine was city bound, while the Fisher machine was out-bound. The two locked wheels, resulting in considerable damage to both machines. Horton's car lost a wheel, had a fender demolished, springs bent and axle twisted. Similar damages were sustained by Fisher's smaller car and both machines had to be towed in, while the occupants were brought to the city in other machines. Misjudgment of distance by the drivers is attributed as the cause of the accident.

In an effort to avoid a collision with a Ford grocery truck, owned by B. F. Stewart, Vinton and Young streets, and driven by Charles Warnock, Miss Marguerite Dawson, driving R. L. Dawson's Haynes touring car, ran her machine into a curbing at the corner of Highland avenue and Hutchins street Monday evening, breaking the right front wheel. Warnock ran his car up over a curbing and onto the sidewalk, but the car escaped damage.

Joe Got Belling

The Owls at the close of their meeting Monday night invaded Bonafide treating Joe Hoskins and his bride, Anna Rohrbach, to an old fashioned belling. Joe did the handsome and treated the "Owls" to refreshments galore.

The Political Forum

The Times Will Print Signed Articles From Responsible Men Under This Head, But Disclaims Responsibility For Ideas Advanced Therein

Editor Times:—In an article in the morning paper written by Hon. A. T. Holcomb headed "Portsmouth's Duty" that gentleman draws a very truthful picture of one of the candidates for mayor so true to life, indeed, that he assumed everybody would know whom he meant without mentioning his name. It is significant and worthy of consideration that there is but one candidate that meets the requirements that Mr. Holcomb, who has been one of our foremost citizens, believes a man offering for the position of chief executive of a thrifty and progressive city like Portsmouth should possess. Here is a paragraph from his communication:

"What does the city require at its head? You all answer, a man of strong intellectual vigor, a man of education, and a man of wide experience, one who now knows the needs of the city, its constant obligations of debt, and also knows its opportunities, and who has the force and ability not only to protect the present interests of the city, but also has the knowledge and experience to forecast the future and add by prudent legislation to the betterment of the city, and to its well-earned reputation."

That description spells Judge Osborn.

Mr. Holcomb thinks it the duty of every man, especially taxpayers, to elevate the person answering those qualifications to this important office.

While it might be considered a patriotic and civic duty to nominate and elect such a man as Judge Osborn mayor, now that the ad-

portunity has so splendidly presented itself, there will be hundreds of citizens who know Judge Osborn who will esteem it a pleasure to vote such a worthy candidate into an office so eminently befitting him.

So, Mr. Holcomb might with very good grace, have added "Portsmouth's Privilege" and "Portsmouth's Pride."

Considerable dust has been kicked up in certain circles in the past few days with the evident intent of blurring the vision of those who do not understand the little game of ward politics. But the measure of the job-givers and job-hunters has been taken, and the two bunches who are just now giving us the avil chorus for their respective candidates may yet wind up with the daleful pippings of the dying swan.

It is most gratifying that the real people, and not the political fire brigade, are behaving very nicely and Judge Osborn's chances, at this writing are at least six times as good as any of the other four.

The claqueurs who are trying to distract attention from the big show may consider themselves expert thimble-riggers and gold-briek dealers; but the solid business men, the honest working men and the men of intelligence are not patronizing their booth this year.

"On with the dance."

W. H. McCALL

Weekly Dance

The Portsmouth Athletic Club will give its weekly dance in the old Bohemian hall in the East End tonight.

MAN SAID TO BE FROM THIS CITY GETS GUN IN A BOLD ROBBERY; SUICIDE THEORY

Heavy Rainfall At The Ball Park

Probably the hardest rainstorm of the season visited New Boston at 3:30 Monday afternoon and for over 30 minutes rain came down in blinding sheets, the village being drenched. At one time water stood fully four inches deep on the diamond of the ball park in Millbrook and sheets of rain swept through the grandstand.

The storm was not nearly so severe in the city as a rainfall of only .20 of an inch was reported by Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann.

ANOTHER DAYLIGHT JEWELRY ROBBERY

The home of Harry E. Royce, paperhanger and decorator, 1412 Fourth street, was among the latest visited by the jewelry thieves operating in broad day-light.

Two gold watches, one of them the property of Mr. Royce, the other belonging to his wife's sister, Miss Elizabeth Tipton, an employee of the Selby shoe factory, who makes her home there, were taken besides several rings, watch pin and chain, two bar pins, set of beauty pins, locket and chain and other trinkets belonging to Miss Tipton.

Most of the articles were taken from a dresser in Miss Tipton's room while Mr. Royce's watch was removed from the library table of the living room. It was through the "L" door of this room that the thieves entered the house. A purse of about \$7 that lay within two feet of Mr. Royce's watch was overlooked by the thieves, who are thought to have stolen into the home while Mrs. Royce was washing dishes in the pantry. She remembers looking at her husband's watch at a few minutes before eleven o'clock, so that the robbery must have occurred later. The police were notified.

On Vacation

Alvin McGinnis, express messenger on the B. & O. S. W. accommodation train, is off duty for a three weeks' vacation. R. P. Flyson, of Chillicothe, is temporarily filling his place.

The following is from the Philadelphia Inquirer but the man mentioned in the dispatch is not known here:

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., July 19.—Holding up Max Bartikowski, a jeweler of Edwardsville, at the point of a revolver which he told Bartikowski he intended to purchase, a man alleged to be Arthur Williams, 40, formerly a resident of Plymouth, who has recently been living at Portsmouth, Ohio, created excitement today as he backed out of the Bartikowski store with the revolver leveled at the proprietor's head. Williams was captured at West Moor while making his way to this city.

The man picked up the first revolver shown to him in the store, and then asked for cartridges. He began loading the chambers and when Bartikowski demanded payment the supposed customer pointed the gun at him and backed slowly out of the store. The police declare that Williams, having dissipated his fortune, intended to suicide and held up Bartikowski as his only means of securing a revolver.

Business Visitors

John Hareha and William Alcorn, of Buena Vista, were business visitors here Saturday.

To Elect Officers

Members of the Portsmouth Athletic Club will meet Tuesday night at their hall in the East End and the annual election of officers will be held.

To Have New Awning

John Swander expects to improve the exterior appearance of his furniture hospital and antique store on Market street with a new awning.